

THE WEATHER
MONROE: Partly cloudy tonight. Fri-
able clouds scattered. High
temperature near 82.
ARKANSAS: Partly cloudy, scattered
showers tonight and Friday; cooler in
northwest portion tonight and
north portion Friday.

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WE FAVOR
THESE PROJECTS
FOR MONROE:
Adequate Sanitary Sewerage
Restocking Fishing Streams
Municipal Civic Center
City Beautification Program

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Fair Enough
by
WESTBROOK PEGLER

Select this week to present some
her essays dealing with corruption
in the American Federation of Labor
because the A. F. of L. is holding
its annual convention in Seattle.
The boys are trying to divert at-
tention from the works of their col-
leagues by waving the flag and
making loud promises to prevent
necessary strikes in war industries.
Now I suppose everyone knows that
George Browne, the Chicago gangster,
vice-president of the A. F. of L.,
a member of its governing body,
led the executive council, and that
as under indictment in New York
on federal charge of extorting \$350,
from employers through the mis-
use of his power as president of the
Employees Union. But I am not
sure that it is generally known that
other bosses operating under
Browne's charter and under the gen-
eral authority and prestige of the
A. F. of L. also have been indicted on
similar charges since Browne was
mainly accused. They are Nick Cur-
ran, the Chicago dive keeper and
bookie man, who holds Browne's
personal appointment as his vice-
chief in the Chicago area, and Louis Kauff-
man of Newark, the dictator and busi-
ness agent of local 224.

want to give you a little back-
ground material on this Kauffman
who operates in a local way and is
known outside his local jurisdiction,
but is a fine specimen, never-
less.

In 1934 a group of robots and slaves
of the "junior" membership in
Kauffman's union brought a suit in
New Jersey which was decided in
their favor and the information
which I offer here is taken from the
court record.

Kauffman has been business agent
local since 1920 which was
before Browne became the na-
tional president on the liquidation
of predecessor, Tommy Maloy, a
bit criminal, by shotgun fire
in Kauffman's local held
meetings at all in one 10-year
period and they extended their terms
of office adopted in meetings
which no man dared oppose the
president's word.

Under Kauffman's racket there
were two classes of members—the
men and the juniors, or slaves
of the junior membership, who were fully qualified opera-
tors of movie machines, but they
were kept in the junior status so

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**ROUP DEMANDS
HOUSING POLICY
LARIFICATION**

**nator Truman Says Con-
tracts Should Be Let
To Low Bidder**

**WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—(P)—The
state defense investigating committee
demanded today immediate clarifi-
cation of the government's labor poli-
cy on low cost defense housing proj-
ects.**

**Chairman Truman, Democrat, Mis-
souri, said the committee had decided
make an issue of a \$975,000 contract
to Wayne county, Mich., housing
project which John Carmody, federal
labor administrator, testified had
been held up because its award to
employee of C. I. O. labor might
be A. F. L. "repercussions."**

Carmody said that Office of Production
Management officials feared that
letting of a contract to the P. J.
Lumber Company of Detroit, bidder
by \$431,000, might affect work
"stabilization" by bringing a
new element into the construction
dominated by the A. F. L.

We are going to find out what the
government's labor policies are on
a defense housing program," Truman
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"head's" signal.

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**CHINA STAGING
BIG OFFENSIVE**

**Japanese Report 80,000
Chungking Troops At-
tacking Them**

**SHANGHAI, Oct. 9.—(P)—The great-
est offensive of the Chinese army in
four and a quarter years of warfare is
apparently under way. Japanese arm-
ies told reporters, "If these com-
munications are going to be let on the
bare, they should be given to the
allied war bidder."**

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**JICK LEND-LEASE
PASSAGE EXPECTED**

**WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—(P)—
Speaker Rayburn today forecast quick
use passage of the new \$5,985,000,000
lend-lease fund in the exact form
requested by President Roosevelt, and
in some critics of the huge appropria-
tion conceded that attempts to
lend it would be futile,**

**one vital change—to bar use of
the money to aid Russia—was
expected to be offered by Repre-
sentative Day, Republican, Illinois.**

Rayburn predicted that "we will
not go right down the line on the
Russian amendment badly."

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Russian amendment badly."

A group, seemingly representing
small minority, served notice they
would try to strike the entire lend-
lease fund from the bill if it did not
pass.

Representative Ditter, Republican,
Pennsylvania, said he would ask that
the group be allowed to mark the bill
for small businesses which
said were shutting down for lack
of raw materials.

The administration's program called
for four or five hours of general de-
bate today and an 11 a.m. session tomor-
row in order to reach a final vote
tomorrow night.

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**FORMER ASSOCIATE
OF EDISON EXPIRES**

**NEWTON, Mass., Oct. 9.—(P)—
Charles L. Clarke, a former associate
of Thomas A. Edison and a prominent
electrical engineer in his own right,
died today. He was 88 years old.**

Clarke became an assistant in the
Edison laboratory at Menlo Park, N.
J., in 1880, and installed the first
Edison electric lighting central station
system in 1882 in New York City.

At one time chief engineer of the
Edison Electric Light company in New
York, he later became associated with
several electrical companies and was a
consulting engineer for the General
Electric company from 1911 to 1931,
when he retired.

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SOCIETY

EVE C. BRADFORD, Society Editor
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Fall Season Finds Society Very Active

Events Of Exceeding Interest Crowd The Calendar During Month Of October

With summer reluctantly bowing itself out to make way for winter activities the social calendar fairly bristles with interesting announcements.

The first week of October has been one of unprecedented activity with the Civic Music association membership campaign in full swing and National Business Women's week off to a flying start last Sunday when the local club members attended church services en masse.

One sometimes wonders if anything is really accomplished by special "weeks" of one sort or another, but there must certainly be some benefit derived or worthwhile organizations wouldn't continue to observe them. President Roosevelt must believe in

special "weeks" as he duly proclaims them. Local emphasis is given Business Women's week by Mayor Benoit's proclamation. Members of the local Business and Professional Women's club are stressing the importance and value of their work through seven days of particular activity.

The Junior Charity league style review on Wednesday at the fashionable hour of 5 in the ballroom of the Virginia hotel highlighted this week's calendar. It is now a pleasant memory and will dwell like chords of sweet music in feminine minds for days to come.

Next week looms up with exceeding interest on the social calendar with the benefit card party sponsored by members of the Junior Guild of Grace church highlighting the activities. The event will take place, as customary each year, on the terrace of the Frances hotel and will attract Monroe's fashionable world en masse. Handsome prizes and tea served at 5 o'clock will be the outstanding features. Hostesses will be Mrs. Allen Kimball, Mrs. Harry Frazer, Mrs. Clyde Paine, Mrs. Gordon Cummings, Mrs. Ruth Madison, Mrs. Joseph Dawkins, Mrs. Travis Oliver, Jr., Mrs. Edward Apperson, Mrs. Stanley Blower, Mrs. Wesley Shatto, Mrs. Samuel Jones.

The entire membership of the guild is responsible for the beautiful prizes, always a distinct feature of this annual event. They will be presented to the guests who hold the lucky numbers.

Those who do not play cards are invited to be present during the tea hour, at which time the gifts will be presented.

Mrs. J. E. Chaney, Jr., of Rayville, who before her recent marriage was Miss Billie Brown, of Mangham, was honored with a miscellaneous shower, at the home of Mrs. W. E. Hixon. Miss Janet Hixon and Mrs. E. T. Lee were co-hostesses. During the conversational hour, the lovely gifts were displayed in the living room.

Fall flowers adorned the reception suite and formed the central floral decor of the lace-covered tea table in the dining room. Miss Elaine Windham and Miss Valero Hearn presided over the punch bowl. Open-face sandwiches and a variety of pastries were served during the afternoon.

Mrs. Chaney was the recipient of many useful gifts.

Mrs. Louis Rosenberg has returned from Fort Sam Houston where she enjoyed a month's visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Lieutenant and Mrs. Harold Wilenick and incidentally made the acquaintance of her first grandchild, Melvin Louis Wilenick.

Miss Sara Larche, to the regret of her wide circle of friends, left for New Orleans Wednesday night. She has accepted a position as assistant to the dean of college of commerce at Tulane university. Her future address will be 1803 Audubon.

Amazing way to help run-down people get new vitality... pep!

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Feel and look like yourself again

Yes, when you tone up the stomach and get its digestive juices flowing freely, you should enjoy again that old-time taste and pleasure. This tonic also gives you the mineral matter in soluble and digestible form to restore your blood to its rich, red color, this makes for greater strength and color in your cheeks and resistance against disease attacks.

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Circle No 3 of the Jonesboro Baptist W. M. S. met with Mrs. G. D. Heflin on Monday afternoon, with six members present. Mrs. Heflin presided in the absence of Mrs. H. C. Carson, chairman. Mrs. John R. Gray gave the devotional taken from Haggai 1:1-11. Prayer by Mrs. Stockman. The minutes were read and approved. Other business items were taken care of, after which Mrs. Stockman taught two chapters in the book, "Stewardship and Mission," by Charles A. Cook. The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Barr. Refreshments were

served to those present: Mrs. J. Puckitt, Mrs. A. Wilson, Mrs. St. man, Mrs. W. S. Barr, Mrs. John Gray and the hostess, Mrs. G. Heflin.

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Coming Events

Friday

Meeting of Musical Coterie with Mrs. William Rodriguez, 4 p.m.

Beta Delta sorority will entertain with a "back-to-school" dance at the K. of P. Hall. Music by Basil Church's orchestra, 16 p.m.

There will be an executive board meeting of the St. Matthew's P.T. A. held at the school Friday at 3 p.m. October 10. Following this there will be a room mothers' meeting held at 4 p.m.

The Sherrouse P.T. A. will hold an executive meeting Friday at 3:15 p.m. All room mothers are urged to attend.

Saturday

Fort Miro chapter of the D. A. R. will meet at the chapter house Saturday, October 11, at 2:30 p.m.

Sunday

Business meeting in Shreveport of Business and Professional Women's club at Caddo hotel, 11 a.m. Monroe members are urged to attend.

Important meeting of the Alpha Delta Kappa sorority in the home of Miss Charlene Banister on Mill street in West Monroe. All members are urged to be present.

Meeting of alumni chapter of Delta Sigma Sigma with Laura Louise Patterson, 2 p.m.

Monday

The Twin Cities P.T. A. Council will hold a banquet at Grace Episcopal Church parish house, October 13 at 7 p.m. Reservations may be made with Mrs. George Varino. All Fifth district P.T. A. members are invited to attend.

Meeting of Fine Arts club with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Vealey, 1425 Forsythe avenue, 7:30 p.m.

Fifth district P.T. A. meeting in Sterlington, 9 a.m. All members urged to attend.

Benefit bingo party sponsored by members of the Women's International Label League at the Labor temple, 8 p.m. Public is invited.

Tuesday

The Presbyterian auxiliary will meet in circles as follows: No. 1, Mrs. Lee Hodges, 2305 Hawthorne street; No. 2, Mrs. J. M. Carter, 1937 North Third street; No. 3, Mrs. J. T. Richardson, 1501 Spencer street; No. 4, Mrs. Clifford Johnson, 1213 St. John street; No. 5, Mrs. Joe Durrett, 108 Hilton street, No. 6, Mrs. J. D. Hamilton, 1705 North Fifth; No. 7, Mrs. Sid Walker, 2304 Hawthorne street; No. 8, Mrs. B. E. Evans, 3413 Gordon avenue.

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CH OFFERING DEFENSE CLASS

Course In Draftsmanship
Will Open October 15,
Dean Says

BURSTON, La., Oct. 9.—(Special)—Louisiana Tech, in collaboration with the United States office of education, will open its third engineering defense training course in draftsmanship October 15, according to Roy T. Eissum, dean of the school of engineering.

The course, which is designed as means of reducing the shortage in craftsmen for defense projects, is open to men with high school educations. College credit will not be given for the training.

Subjects included in the course are mechanical drawing, free hand drawing, descriptive geometry and shop mathematics.

The instruction, which is free, will over a period of from 16 to 18 weeks include about 20 or 25 hours of classroom and shop instruction per week. Students will have to furnish their own drawing equipment and textbooks, it was pointed out.

A total of 420 hours of work will be required for completing the course. Classes will be taught in the afternoons and at night; it was announced those interested in the course have requested to make application to the dean of the school of engineering before October 15.

About 50 have received certificates for completing previous drafting courses which were held here this year between January and March and June and August.

CITY COURT

W. M. Harper, Judge

Grace Lowman, charged with intoxication, \$7.50 cash bond forfeited. Al Threnfeld, charged with intoxication and guilty, 15 days. E. D. Collett charged with intoxication, found guilty, \$7.50 or 7½ days. Ollie Jones, charged with drawing and displaying dangerous weapon, found guilty, \$100 100 days.

E. Spell, charged with intoxication, found guilty, \$25 or 25 days. Virgil Brown, charged with drawing and displaying a dangerous weapon and guilty, \$100 or 100 days, charged with intoxication, found guilty, \$12.50 12½ days. Bill Hendricks, charged with operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor, found guilty, \$100 and 50 days or 100 days.

Three persons were assessed one dollar each for overparking or improper parking.

More than one-sixth of all retail sales volume of United States service stations in 1939 came from services and merchandise other than gasoline and oil.

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The War Today

By DeWitt MacKenzie
(Associated Press Foreign Affairs Writer)

The Russian position on the fighting front is exceedingly grave, but not hopeless.

The greatest danger to the Red defense lies in the central sector, west and southwest of Moscow.

Here the Nazis have continued to drive into the Bolshevik line the two long salients from which great encircling movements have been thrust out in an effort to surround and destroy sections of the enemy forces. One of these salients extends along the direct Smolensk-Vyasma route to the threatened capital, and the other is farther south in the strategic Bryansk-Orel area.

The Germans this morning claimed to have crashed through this vital central sector and to have encircled from sixty to seventy Red divisions. This would mean between three-quarters of a million and a million men.

If this is true it will tax Soviet Marshal Timoshenko's skill to the utmost to avert a major disaster. A collapse of the Russian defense in the center would make it exceedingly difficult for the Reds to save the situation to the north and south, especially in the latter sector in the Ukraine where Marshal Budenny is fighting with back to wall.

The initiative and the advantage rest with the Germans at this writing. Whether the invaders are able to exploit their gain depends on a matching of wits between attacking Marshall General Fedor von Bock and defending Marshal Timoshenko.

Von Bock's strategy is to encircle and annihilate—to kill and capture men rather than to take territory and cities. Timoshenko's defense must be to evade those great encircling arms of steel, and to extricate his troops if the Nazis actually have encircled them as claimed. The Red commander must do all this and still maintain the defense of Moscow, and contact with the Red armies on his right and left. Some task!

The Nazis are smashing their way into the Red defenses by sheer weight of numbers and equipment. Men are being flung into the lines with the abandon which always has characterized German military operations. It may easily be that history never before has recorded a battle of such dimensions as is now proceeding on that crucial central front.

The German capture of the city of Orel, which lies at the apex of the southern salient in the central offensive, has increased the danger to the Red armies in the Ukraine. The fall of this important railway junction imperils contact between Timoshenko and Budenny. Meanwhile the Nazis have continued their march eastward along the coast of the Sea of Azov toward the Caucasus and claim to have surrounded one complete Red army.

Moscow's unofficial appeal to Britain for quick aid, in the form of an attack on Germany through invasion of the continent emphasizes the seriousness of the situation.

London recently has said that invasion isn't feasible at this juncture, and the indications have been that this is so. However, invasion isn't the only form of help which Britain could render.

One thing stands out very clearly. This is one of the great emergencies of the whole European war. From the allied standpoint, action commensurate to this emergency obviously is called for; this commensurate to the emergency is demanded. Also, speed is imperative, for while Timoshenko's wits are nimble, they may not be quick enough to evade what likely is the greatest offensive machine ever thrown into any single battle.

Here are signs that the British have been considering whether the quickest, most effective aid they could render would be an all-out, continuous bombardment of Berlin and other German cities from the air. This would force the Germans to bring back fighting planes and bombers from the Russian front—a God-send to the Reds, because the Luftwaffe is one of the most powerful weapons being used against them.

Employment of an endless line of British planes in an assault on Germany certainly would involve a great risk. The British high command has to decide which is the greater risk—the chance of losing a large number of warplanes which are so vital to the defense of England itself, or the possibility of a Russian catastrophe.

BARBECUE HELD
FERRIDAY, Oct. 9.—(P)—The Vidalis chapter of the Order of Eastern Star entertained the members of the Natchez chapter with a barbecue supper on the rear lawn of the McCrea Cargile home on Tuesday afternoon.

NATIONAL WINE WEEK OCTOBER 12-19

SERVE WINE with dinner tonight

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CHANNEL CLEARED, FREIGHTERS MOVE

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., Oct. 9.—(P)—The Great Lakes' biggest freighters, with passage to blocked-off locks partially restored, steamed into town with iron ore for the steelmakers after two restless day of lying idle.

Toward midnight workmen had cleared aside much of the obstruction to the main locks of the St. Mary's Falls canal, and early today the first freighter nosed through the channel eastward—46 1-2 hours delayed.

Opening the way to one of the two

main locks, stout tugs and a boom derrick pulled a submerged train locomotive off one arm of a buckled bridge span and made it possible to free the other arm and let the boats through.

The locomotive, carrying two train men to death, plunged into the canal when one 165-foot arm of the large bascule bridge collapsed early Tuesday. The 280-foot wide channel leading to the main locks was blocked and more than 50 freighters coming in from Lake Superior were stalled.

Once the locomotive, lying in 25 feet of water, was pulled aside, pontoons raised the damaged north arm to a horizontal position. The south arm

was set free and raised by its own mechanism, clearing half the channel traffic. Then the boats came through.

Engineers said they could not tell at once the exact reduction of traffic from normal, with one lock still blocked, but reported that they hoped to move the locomotive entirely out of the channel today.

Meanwhile repairs were begun on the damaged bridge arm, which must be raised to permit the entry of boats into that half of the channel which

is still closed. This may also be completed some time today, engineers said.

POSTPONES MEETING
FERRIDAY, Oct. 9.—(Special)—The Vidalis Garden club will meet Wednesday afternoon, October 15, instead of Wednesday, October 8 when the Vidalis High school Parent-Teacher association meets.

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**Washington's Advice**

When we are giving weight to certain advice of an uncommonly wise man, we should take into consideration what experiences and observations of his inspired that particular advice. What were the conditions then? Are the conditions identical today? Does the same advice or warning apply today as it did then?

For example, when we are contemplating what George Washington said about our relations with other nations, shouldn't we also consider what the conditions were then and what they are now?

What were the experiences and observations that led George Washington to advise us "to steer clear of permanent alliances with any portion of the foreign world; so far, I mean, as we are now at liberty to do it?" Isn't it likely that Washington was thinking of France, and fearing that because France had helped us win the Revolutionary war, we might feel under obligations to become entangled with her and her wars abroad, which could be of no possible benefit to us, but which, rather, would jeopardize our existence, since we were young and weak?

And why did Washington admonish us, "It is folly in one nation to look for disinterested favors from another," and "A passionate attachment of one nation for another produces a variety of evils. Sympathy for the favorite nation, facilitating the illusion of an imaginary common interest in cases where no real common interest exists, and infusing into one, the enemies for the other, betrays the former into a participation in the quarrels and wars of the latter, without adequate inducement or justification"? Wasn't Washington telling us in effect to have no sentimental notions about France, but to bear in mind that France did not help us win the Revolutionary war because she cared a rap about us, but because she wanted to weaken England? Isn't it probable that Washington had in mind—what history has since recorded—that France was actually opposed to our becoming a great power and that she planned to keep us in a subordinate position and use us to her advantage?

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Jimmie Fidler

HOLLYWOOD, Oct. 9.—You hear a great deal about the Mr. Big Shouts of Hollywood—the Zanucks, Mayers, Warners and others whose multi-million dollar productions make movie headlines.

Relegated to the shadows, however—except as the butts of sneering wisecracks—are the men who make the "quickies." Today, I'd like to introduce you to one of those unsung Hollywoodites—a producer named George Weeks.

Just a year ago, without previous production experience, he made—for \$21,000—the first of the "Range Busters" series. More than 4,000 theaters booked it. The other day, on completion of his 10th western, Weeks, now so extravagant that he spends all of \$25,000 per picture, made a new deal with film exchanges—a deal that places his product in 9,242 theaters, most of them in small towns. Stop and consider that there are only about 20,000 theaters in America and you'll realize what his bookings mean.

The "Range Busters" have made their three co-stars (John King, Ray Corrigan, Max Terhune) bigger box-office draws than many of the major studio idols who hog the Hollywood spotlight. King, for example, receives about 1,500 fan letters a week!

There's something significant in George Weeks' phenomenal success. It's been achieved with complete disregard for nine-tenths of the movie "musts." He's used cheap sets, he's gotten along without "name" players, he's paid no fancy prices for published stories. But he's proved two things: (1) That entertainment value does not depend on production cost. (2) That the American public is smart enough to know value when it's offered.

Nevadans Attention: Were Rags Ragland, MGM comedian, and Suzanne Ridgeway, Hollywood showgirl secretly married near Las Vegas the other day? . . . Army game: Constance Bennett, three weeks hence, will follow Jeannette MacDonald's lead by hosting a "date leave" party for soldiers. . . . Strained: I hear the Douglas Fairbanks Juniors don't see eye-to-eye on his political and diplomatic ambitions. . . . Matrimonials: Claudette Colbert's brother (Charles Wendling) and actress Pat Donahue are on the verge. . . . Anchored: Carol Reed, young British director of "Night Train," must nix that fabulous Hollywood offer; England's Office of Home Defense, of which he's an official, won't release him. . . . Bon Mot: Bob Hope's retort when offered the lead in Frank Capra's screening of "Arsenic and Old Lace": "I'll take it—if I can pick the corpses." . . . Sick List: W. C. Fields "cold" (so reported by his studio) was really pneumonia—but he's now mending satisfactorily. . . . Chameleons: Lupe Velez appeared at Columbia Studios the other aymen with black hair, switched to red locks for a p.m. cocktail party—and died a nite spot, three hours later, with blonde cirls.

The Hollywood Parade: Tex Ritter, individualist. After surveying the ranks of fellow cowboy stars and noting that all are singers or students of singing, Mr. Ritter rebelled against regimentation and enrolled for tap-dancing lessons. . . . Harry Raven, physical culturist. Mr. Raven's biggest job to date—an assignment to reduce Lou Costello's avoidups—is a battle yet undecided. During their first month of relentless exercises, Costello gained six pounds while Raven dropped eight! . . . Milton Berle, student of motives. Mr. Berle says he is currently absorbed in analyzing the strange actions of the Capitol and has written a number of books on parliamentary procedure and precedent in the House, including "The treatises on parliamentary law in the encyclopedias Britannica and Americana. He holds five earned degrees from the University of Missouri, was once a history professor at Stephens College. He started his political career as secretary to Champ Clark and succeeded the "grand old warhorse" as representative of Missouri's ninth district in 1922.

WASHINGTON — Answering the mail orders:

Mrs. R. T. Leadville, Colo.: The successor to the late Representative Edward T. Taylor of Colorado as chairman of the important House appropriations committee is Representative Clarence Cannon of Elsberry, Mo. Mr. Cannon is one of the best parliamentarians in the south wing of the Capitol and has written a number of books on parliamentary procedure and precedent in the House, including "The treatises on parliamentary law in the encyclopedias Britannica and Americana. He holds five earned degrees from the University of Missouri, was once a history professor at Stephens College. He started his political career as secretary to Champ Clark and succeeded the "grand old warhorse" as representative of Missouri's ninth district in 1922.

L. A. G. Hammond, Ind.: There is no way of getting at what British military observers have reported to London about the United States army. I do know that in at least one instance, a British military observer who went through the summer maneuvers expressed more than polite admiration, and he had seen the German war machine in action at close range. There is a fairly general feeling here in Washington that the army's radix is outgrowing the cirk kitten stage.

The Right Rev. Monsignor Mabe's golden jubilee, marking the 50th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood of the Roman Catholic church, will be held here Friday.

Preparations are being made by St. Matthew's church for a solemn high mass, which promises to be one of the most impressive church affairs ever witnessed in Monroe. Bishop Vandene, assisted by the clergy of Alexandria and adjoining dioceses, will preside at the mass which will begin promptly at 10:15 a.m. The ceremony will begin with 16 flower girls who will escort Missions Mass at the Catholic rectory and lead the procession from there to the church.

A preliminary meeting, looking toward the organization of a community chest for the Twin Cities, was held yesterday afternoon in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce. The plan is to show that a community chest is the only scientific and modern way for administering to community needs.

Cities like Shreveport, El Dorado, Terre Haute and other places are originally scheduled to open September 1.

Eleven teachers have arrived to resume their duties. They are Grover Brown, Johnnie Haile, Eva Grissom, Louise Davis, Mrs. Mary Waltrip, Kathleen Smelley, Dennis E. Owens, Mary Martha Green, Cleo Walker, Mrs. Doyle Carr, and Webb Swanner, principal.

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WORK HALTED BY ORDNANCE DEPOT STRIKE

**Teamsters' Union Says
Contractors Refuse To
Recognize**

(By Associated Press) Construction of the government's \$100,000 San Jacinto (Texas) ordnance depot was at a standstill today because of an A. F. of L. strike, but some progress was achieved toward settlement of a similar strike at an \$1,000,000 ordnance project near Texarkana, in the same state.

Another A. F. of L. strike threatened to halt steel making at the South's largest mill, near Birmingham, Ala.

Work on the San Jacinto job stopped yesterday when several hundred workers walked out. A spokesman for the A. F. of L. Teamsters union said the contractors had refused to recognize the local as bargaining agent. Officials of the construction company declared that only 5 per cent of the employees belonged to the teamsters union.

At the Texarkana project, where A. of L. Building Trades union workers have been on strike for three days, representatives of the strikers accepted a settlement formula proposed by Bryce P. Holcombe, a United States labor conciliator. The contracting firm asked additional time to study the plan, which calls for a check on payroll records to determine whether a majority of the company's 300 workmen were union members. The union was reported to have asked the company to provide an arrangement under which non-union workers would have to pay a certain sum for a job.

A complete halt in steel making operations was threatened by a strike at the vast Fairfield Steel Mills of Tennessee, Coal, Iron and Railroad Company near Birmingham. A. of L. electricians and machinists struck there last night, closing manufacturing units. A spokesman said the strike was called because the C. I. O. steel workers organizing committee had established a card inspection outside the plant and had voted to permit anyone but C. I. O. workers to enter. He added that A. F. of L. unions had petitioned the national labor board for a collective bargaining agency election and agreed to remain at work if no



Shown above are: (Left to right) Dallas Goss, treasurer of the Monroe Civic Music association; Sid Moss, president of this group; Marion Heath, field worker for the national association; Lowery Jefferson, first vice-president of the Monroe association; and J. Norman Coon, second vice-president.

additional C. I. O. card inspections were allowed.

Approximately 11,000 persons are employed in three shifts at the Fairfield plant, which has been operating at capacity for more than a year. Its plate and structural mills supply most of the steel used in gulf coast shipbuilding yards.

A one-day strike of C. I. O. employees at the Carnegie-Illinois Sheet and Tin Mill, Gary, Ind., was settled last night after company officials assured the union they had "no intention of interfering with any lawful, peaceful dues inspection" outside the plant gates.

The strike was called after police had taken into custody a racket engaged in a union dues collection drive. The police said the racket had roughed up a young man entering the mill.

A strike was voted, although the effective date was not set, by C. I. O. steel workers at the Buffalo (N. Y.) Forge Company, which is manufacturing ventilating equipment for warships. The union demands an increase of 10 cents an hour over the present basic rates of 44 to 50 cents, also bargaining conferences and reinstatement of three discharged union men.

A dispute involving A. F. of L. sailors appeared to be nearing settlement but wage negotiations between the C. I. O. National Maritime union and 28 steamship companies were reported to be stalled.

Joseph Curran, president of the C. I. O. union, said the members desired higher wages and adjustment of working conditions to conform to rising living costs and war circumstances. Present wage scales were not immediately available.

The A. F. of L. Sailors union of the Pacific notified the defense mediation board of ratification of the board's proposal for increased war bonuses—from \$50 a month to \$40—in settlement of a shipping dispute which last month tied up 26 vessels on the Pacific, Atlantic and gulf coasts.

The A. F. of L. Seafarers International union thus far has not reported its decision on the proposal, which has been accepted by the shipping companies. The mediation board formally also calls for establishment of machinery similar to the national railroad labor board for prevention of work stoppages.

A. F. of L. machinists at the Consolidated Aircraft Corporation, San Diego, Calif., will begin voting soonest today in a company proposal designed to avert a threatened walkout.

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Needs of the orphanage are large, and generous contributions are asked from Methodists throughout the state next Sunday. In the Twin Cities, collections will be taken at the First Methodist churches of Monroe and West Monroe; at Stone Avenue Methodist church, and Gordon Avenue Methodist church.

Those unable to give money can give supplies of food and also furniture in some cases, all of which will be thankfully received.

It is stated that 600 meals are served daily at the orphanage, and that there is need for food supplies quite as much as need for money.

SUNDAY TO BE ORPHANAGE DAY

Methodists Of State To Donate Funds For Rus- ton Institution

Next Sunday has been set aside as "Orphanage Day" for all Methodist churches in the state. On that day, preferably at the morning service hour, the offering will be received for the support of the only Methodists-supported orphanage in Louisiana, that located at Ruston.

This institution has no other means of support aside from two annual state-wide offerings which are received at Easter and also in the fall.

A large number of children, who otherwise would be left alone and unprotected, are given homes and Christian care in the Ruston institution. Many have gone forth from there to college and have occupied places of importance in the world at large after they have left the only home many of them have ever known.

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S. C. PAULUS IS SPEAKER AT CLUB

S. C. Paulus entertained members of the Y's Men's club Wednesday night at Hotel Frances with a recital of some of his impressions and experiences while in Panama on a recent visit.

He told that everyone is busy there and receiving large paychecks as the government is engaged in its defense efforts. Weather, he said, was exceptionally hot and he said that Louisiana is far cooler.

In connection with his talk, he exhibited some of the mementoes that he brought back.

W. W. Kelllogg, campaign manager for the Twin City Community Chest, explained plans for its success this fall.

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MONROE BOY IS ELECTED L. S. U. CLASS PRESIDENT

John Winkler, Monroe, was elected president of the senior class in the arts and sciences college at Louisiana State University yesterday, and two other university students from northeast Louisiana were elected to similar class offices, according to The Associated Press.

In the college of agriculture Hubert Deere, Mangham, was elected junior class president, and Dan McNeil, Marion, sophomore class president.

PERMIT ISSUED

Sam H. Awl, city building inspector, Thursday announced issuance of a permit to Central Circle S station to remodel the front of the one-story, brick service station at the northwest corner of Jackson and Grammont streets. The work will cost \$900. W. H. Clampit is contractor.

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MUSIC CAMPAIGN IS SPEEDED UP

Reports To Date Show Progress Exceeds That Of Past Year

The Monroe Civic Music association's campaign for members is progressing far better than was the case a year ago at this time, stated Sid A. Moss, president, who said that cash receipts are far ahead of those of a year ago at the middle of the campaign.

More than 100 enthusiastic workers are on the job, and the first reports that were rendered Wednesday night, were highly satisfactory, stated Field Worker Marion Heath.

Mr. Heath emphasized the fact that there is opportunity for the Twin Cities to gain cultural development, through the series of concerts, of the country's most talented artists.

No city in Mr. Heath's opinion can become a well rounded community unless there is proper emphasis placed on the cultural things of life and in this category he places music as an outstanding need.

The world's greatest musicians are made available to the home community through the medium of the civic music association and all at a cost that is surprisingly low. The larger number that enrolls this season, the larger will be the budget, and this is what determines the personnel of those who are to appear in concert here. A large budget will mean that the more high priced talent can be obtained.

The campaign is to end on Friday, and as the time is short, the public

is asked to make every effort to purchase season tickets at once. After the campaign ends, no tickets can be had at any price and no one will be able to attend any single concert without possessing a season ticket.

OUACHITA WOMEN TO SEE TYLER FESTIVAL

Parish home demonstration club women will leave here early Saturday by special bus for a visit to the annual Texas Rose Festival at Tyler, Tex., Mrs. Marion Heath, parish home demonstration agent, said Thursday. Twenty-five women already have indicated their intentions to make the trip, with five clubs still to be heard from, the agent said.

Persons making the trip will gather at the west end of the Louisville avenue bridge across the Ouachita river at 3 a.m. Saturday, Mrs. McQuiller said. The party will visit the huge rose show and will see the famed floral parade at the festival. The group will return to Monroe about 9 o'clock Sunday night, the agent said.

The Eureka, Frost Town, Swartz, Logtown, and Claiborne clubs have yet to indicate that any of their members will accompany the group. Persons who intend to make the trip are as follows:

Mrs. L. D. Willis, Sterlington; Mrs. Roy Welch, Mrs. E. W. Earl, and Mrs. W. A. Roach, Colony; Mrs. Clara Gililand, Mrs. M. R. Coon, and Mrs. J. W. Bayles, Drew; Mrs. H. W. Griggs, Mrs. C. A. Foster, Mrs. Pearl Williams, and Mrs. E. A. Richardson, Liberty; Mrs. L. J. Crocker, Beulah; Mrs. J. E. Rutledge, Mrs. L. C. Williams, and Mrs. J. P. Armstrong, Sardis; Mrs. B. H. Crawford, Mrs. Gene Berry, and Mrs. L. L. Underwood, Cypress; Mrs. Lee Wilder and Mrs. Mary Hamilton, Cadetville; Mrs. Reuben Clark,

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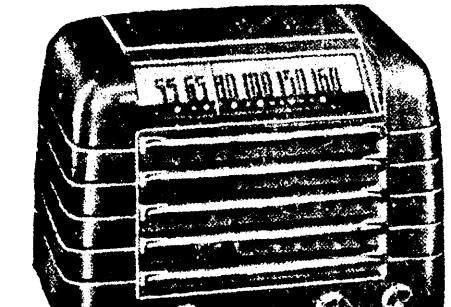


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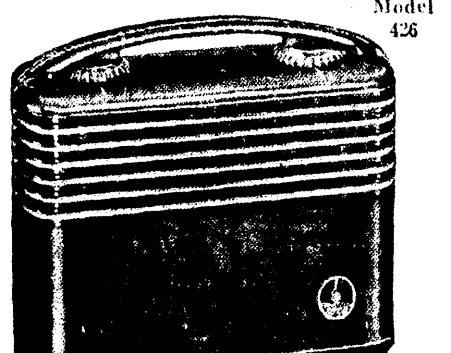


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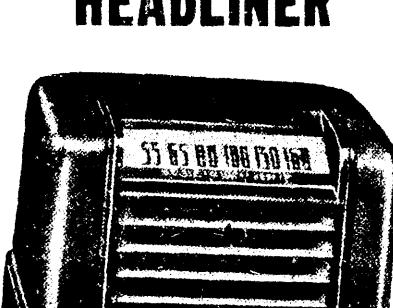
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**PUBLIC INVITED
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**Well Known Automobile
Executive To Hold
Formal Opening**

The appointment of Bill Jackson Motors, 216 North Second street, as new Lincoln dealer and Mercury distributor, is announced by L. H. Clay, manager of the New Orleans branch of the Ford Motor Company.

The general public is invited to attend the special activities which will mark the formal opening on Friday and Saturday, October 10 and 11, between the hours of 9:00 a. m. and 9:00 p. m.

The new Lincoln-Mercury dealer, W. B. (Bill) Jackson, well known in Monroe, having resided here for ten years. Mr. Jackson is a native of Louisiana, formerly residing in Winnie. He has been in the automobile business for more than eighteen years, and enjoys a fine reputation for dealing fairly and honestly. His many customers and friends in northern Louisiana regard him as one of the most esteemed automobile men in the entire state of Louisiana—and he has merited the respect and admiration of all the automobile dealers who know him.

Mr. Jackson is a firm believer in rendering good service, and he advised that he was going to render the best possible service, and would stress efficient service equally with sales in his new dealership. "Every effort has been made to select the

THE NEW MERCURY EIGHT



In the 1942 Mercury eight an even higher ratio of power per pound has been achieved through further application of the aviation principles of design to which Mercury is built. Striking advances have been made also in style treatment as revealed in the four-door town sedan shown above. Wide grilles of rustless steel and flared fenders are guarded by heavy bumpers finished in chrome. Six body types are offered, including a smart new station wagon.

most capable and best qualified organization to handle the service facilities," Mr. Jackson said. "We are investing a lot of money in the latest type of shop equipment and tools, because we realize that the development of our business will depend largely upon the service rendered to the people of the Monroe area."

Bill Jackson will be assisted by his brother, D. A. Jackson, in his new Lincoln-Mercury dealership. Formerly, D. A. Jackson was in the grocery business in Monroe, as manager of a Jitney-Jungle store. He, too, has lived in Monroe for ten years and is highly regarded among the business men of Monroe. His many friends will be pleased to know that he will be an important member of Bill Jack-

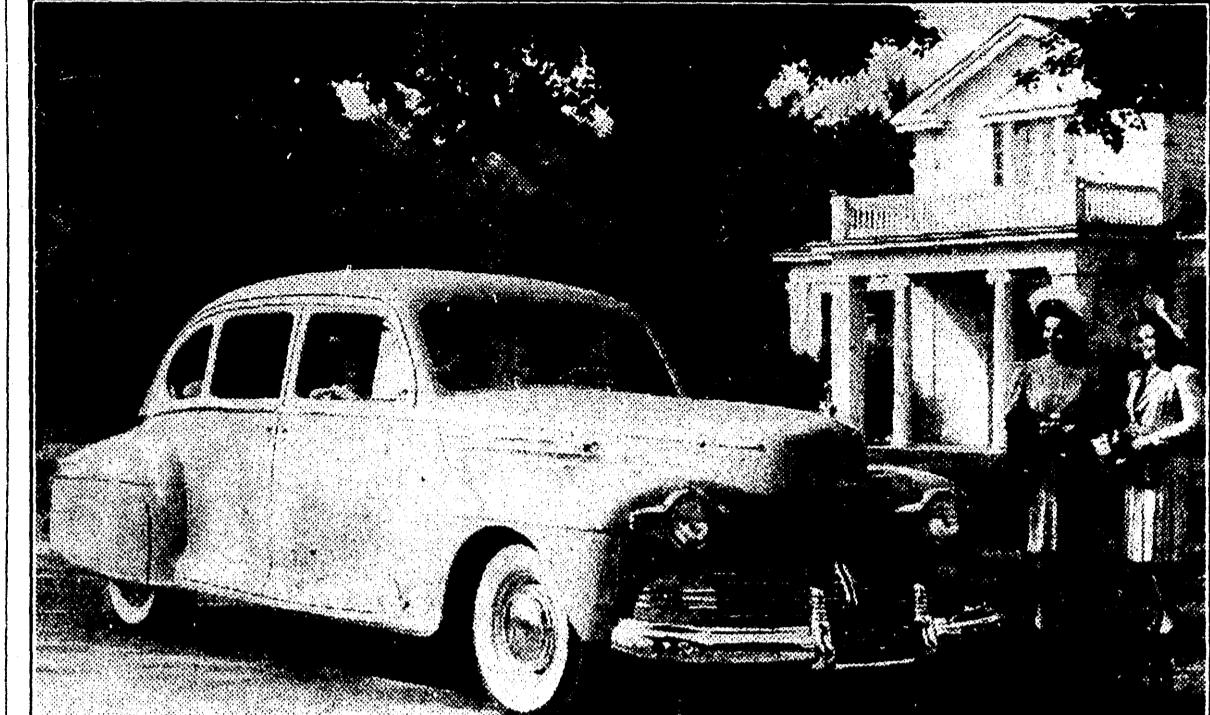
son Motors, in the capacity of manager of both the service station and office.

R. D. Whitecotton has joined Bill Jackson Motors as salesman for Mercury and Lincoln cars. Mr. Whitecotton is one of the outstanding retail salesmen in Louisiana, having been in the automobile business for six years.

E. R. (Ham) Breard is a member of Bill Jackson Motors sales organization, and has had 25 years of experience in the automobile business.

Service Manager Eddie Latham is the most experienced Lincoln and Mercury service man in Monroe, and he enjoys the reputation of being the best man in his line in northern Louisiana. Owners of Lincoln and

DISPLAYED AT BILL JACKSON MOTORS



The Lincoln line for 1942 presents entirely new styling as shown in the four-door Lincoln-Zephyr above. Similar style treatment distinguishes the Lincoln-Continental and Lincoln-Custom series. Broad horizontal grilles of rustless steel emphasize the reduced overall height of the bodies as do the long, widely flared fenders. Door handles are replaced inside and out by flush-type push-button latch controls which are employed also on the locks of the luggage compartment.

hand, cast alloy steel pistons as used in both the Lincoln and Mercury, and Mercury cars," said Mr. Jackson, "have almost identical expansion rates that makes them the best motor car investment."

"The 'curl level' entrance, a feature that has helped Lincoln attain style leadership in the medium price field, has been lowered an additional inch in the 1942 Lincolns."

"This is but one of the many im-

ROADS MADE OF SPOOL COTTON MAY AID SOUTH

**Scientists At Work De-
veloping Wear-Resist-
ing Fiber Netting**

By Phil Clarke

ATLANTA, Oct. 9.—(P.—Roads made partly from cotton unrolled from a giant spool may help untangle one of the South's knottest agricultural problems—the huge cotton surplus.

Scientists are at work developing a tough, wear-resisting fiber netting made of cotton and fabricated for use in road-building. Other experiments are under way that would have roads held together with good old-fashioned molasses, surfaced with farm waste, and treated with soybean oil.

Cotton roads popped into the news a few years ago when the department of agriculture sponsored a nationwide effort to use up surplus stocks of low-grade cotton. A coarse netting of cotton was unrolled from a big spool at the rear of a truck, alternating with layers of asphalt, rock and other materials forming a "roof" for gravel roads.

Taken as a waste from sugar factories, molasses was first applied to roads in India. Molasses and water were laid on a layer of stone chips followed by a coating of coarse sand. Molasses has been tested on roads in New Jersey by the United States government.

The versatile soybean has also found its way into road building. Used as a substitute for tar and asphalt in treating earth roads, soybean oil serves to bind soil particles together, waterproofing the road surface and resisting freezing and thawing. Other laboratory tests brought out another interesting fact about soybean oil— insects love it. Coal tar creosote had to be added to prevent ants and other hungry creatures from eating up the road.

The state of Missouri tried covering gravel roads with a mixture of sand, lime, salt and cornstarch. The materials forming a good base and a new market for farm waste products.

About Farm People
Mrs. Reno Morgan, farm woman of near Cedartown, Ga., won first prize in the state style revue for women using corn shuckings as an article of clothing.

Selecting the best shucks from her husband's corn crib, she dries them thoroughly and then tears them into long strips. Dampened slightly, these strips can be plaited into a continuous

string, and fashioned into almost article of clothing.

With \$1.25, Mrs. Morgan made a shoes, bag and buttons from c shucks and had a few pennies le

Gleanings

A. O. Owens, farmer of near Cedar, S. C., leased his farm to the during the Carolina army menue. "Some of my neighbors told me I was crazy," Owens said. "They say my fence would be torn up, my tile killed, and my fields trampled."

The Thirty-Sixth field artillery Fort Bragg, N. C., left Owen's property in better condition than it found it and, in addition, fixed up old washed-out road.

"I'm right proud of Uncle Sam," said Owens.

With a large portion of his crop injured by boll weevils, R. Morgan, Carroll county, Ga., co-farmer, went to the Carroll AAA office to receive his cotton parity check.

F. M. Shoemaker of Gadsden, has several tomatoes growing on lowly jimson weed. The tomato and tomatoes are flourishing on side of the huge stalk, while the sun burns are fully developed on other. The tomatoes apparently get onto the weed in some unknown way, have lost none of their flavor, said Shoemaker, although the jimson still smells like jimson... N. Carolina farmers using trucks exclusively for farm purposes, can purchase their license plates at one-half the regular price after December

REAL ESTATE TRANSFER

Eugene Font to H. L. Cleveland, R. square 10, Cole's addition; cash.

Robert L. George to Mrs. Kathie Holt, lots 7, 8, block 23, Crescent addition; \$600 cash.

Emma Zabolito et al to Milton Zabolito et al, lots northeast, northeast quarter, section 35, ship 19 north, range 3 east terms.

Ebbie L. Crates et al to The Homestead and Savings Association land in square 35, Crescent addition; \$3,000 cash.

The People's Homestead and Savings association to George A. Bennington, lots 20, 21, block 1, Hood's subdivision, block D, Zeigler's subdivision, Ram Tract; \$1,500 cash.

The People's Homestead and Savings association to Hugh J. Bonner, same as above; \$1,500 terms.

Claud M. Johnson to Mrs. Fannie Williams, east 104 feet, lot 11, sec. 12, Morningside extension, being 100x100 ft.; \$1,500 cash.

Sidney J. Monroe to Arter S. Thompson, lot 6, block 2, N. G. Tippins division, portion of lot 1, section township 17 north, range 3 east, part of lot 1 lying between east west lines of lot 6, square 2, property to center of Black bayou; \$200 cash.

George M. Younger in James Bacon, three acres beginning north corner, northwest quarter, south quarter, section 5, township 17, no range 3 east; \$50 cash.

A completely new front door, new grill, new front fenders, hood, new lamps and new and massive bumpers gives the 1942 Lincoln an even more impressive appearance.

The same engine speed required to produce a road pace of 35 miles hour with the 1942 Lincoln standard transmission, produces 50 miles hour when the car is equipped with the extra-fast overdrive.

A hobby of saving dimes, started in 1898 by Mrs. Margaret Kuchards, 78, operator of a large white farm near Colfax, Wash., culminates recently in a down payment of 50 dimes on a Lincoln custom sedan.

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NEW MERCURY IS DISPLAYED

**Bill Jackson Motors To
Show Latest Models
Of 1942 Cars**

Showrooms will swing Friday for the first public display of the higher-powered and freshly-styled new Mercury cars at Bill Jackson Motors, North Second and Washington streets.

Appearance values for 1942 are sharply up. Overall height is reduced and road "tread" is wider. Advanced treatment of trim suggests the new performance peaks now achieved by further application of the aviation principles to which Mercury is built.

Added engine output, again raising Mercury's high ratio of power per pound, is reflected in split-second response, new tops in cruising reserves and an easy way of taking the hills. Intake and exhaust systems have been redesigned to charge and clear the cylinders more rapidly. The fan has been placed higher on the engine block to promote more effective cooling. The engine now rests on four-point mountings of resilient rubber which effectively cushion it from the frame.

Mercury offers six body types for 1942: the town sedan, the sedan, a compact sedan-coupe, the three-passenger coupe, a club convertible with automatic top and a smart new station wagon. Two upholstery selections and eight new color choices are provided for the closed bodies. Entirely new interior appointments include body hardware finished in chrome and a redesigned panel with instruments and clock softly edge-lighted for night driving.

At extra cost, Mercury offers for 1942 something new in car control—the liquamatic drive which provides the advantages of two units working in combination, a liquid flywheel or "coupling" and a new special automatic transmission. A shift lever and clutch are provided for placing the drive in its operating positions. The most frequently used positions of the gearshift lever are: Forward driving range, low gear and reverse. The forward driving range is used for all ordinary driving in traffic or on the road. In using this gear range, the clutch is disengaged and the shifting lever placed in the same position as for high gear in a conventional transmission.

Upon re-engagement of the clutch, the car will remain standing if the engine is idling. When the accelerator pedal is depressed, the car starts in a special ratio second gear that provides

for rapid starting and brilliant acceleration. A momentary release of the ac-

celerator causes the transmission to shift into high or direct gear. If the driver wishes to shift back from high to second for quick pickup, he merely depresses the accelerator pedal all the way down. Once the driver has entered the forward driving range, both hands are free for the wheel.

Changes to reverse or low, the latter being needed only on extreme grades, are made with clutch and shift lever as with conventional transmissions.

For using the engine as a brake in descending steep grades, the gearshift lever is placed in the conventional second gear position which "locks" the drive in second gear. The automatic shifting mechanism then remains inoperative until the lever is again moved to the forward driving range position.

Those who prefer the standard transmission will find a new rapid starting and brilliant acceleration and longer shift lever that makes gear changing extremely easy.

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LINCOLN AIDS IN DEFENSE PLANS

**Engineers 'Beat The Gun'
In Conservation Of
Aluminum**

Lincoln engineers "beat the gun" by about six years on the conservation of aluminum, one of the most essential metals in national defense. It is revealed in connection with the announcement of the 1942 Lincoln Zephyr was created back in 1935, all Lincoln engines have been equipped with cylinder heads which serve equally well whether cooled with hard or soft water.

As final contributions to national defense, Lincoln has replaced its interior trim metal with Lincoln-developed plastics and builds radiator grille bars of rustless steel instead of zinc alloys which now released, together with aluminum, the needs of the army, navy and forces.

A new type of flywheel on slight flexible spokes is employed with standard transmission of the 1942 Lincoln Zephyr. Ever since the first Lincoln Zephyr was created back in 1935, all Lincoln engines have been equipped with engine impulses.

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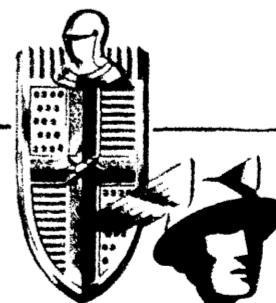
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Above all you will find a genuine interest in helping you to enjoy the fine performance that is built into Lincoln and Mercury cars. Your needs, however small, will receive prompt, courteous and thorough attention.

Drop in and get acquainted some day soon.

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CLAIM MILLION RED SOLDIERS HELD IN TRAP

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the U. S. S. R. capital. They are about 130 miles apart.

Dr. Dietrich said between 60 and 70 Russian divisions—900,000 to 1,050,000 troops—were hopelessly bottled up in the Bryansk and Vyazma sectors, facing imminent annihilation.

Once their destruction has been completed, he asserted, "the campaign will develop when and how we wish."

To Britain, he added this warning: "Let the English attempt a landing in Norway, Holland, Belgium or on the French coast and they will learn what reserves we still have."

While the Germans thus proclaimed a climactic turning point in the world's greatest military campaign, the Russians acknowledged they had withdrawn from Orel, key town 68 miles southeast of Bryansk, on the Moscow-Kharkov railroad, but gave no intimation of impending collapse.

A mid-day Red army bulletin said Marshal Semyon Timoshenko's forces on the central front were still battling fiercely against the Nazi juggernaut in the Bryansk and Vyazma sectors.

Tass, the official Russian news agency, indicated that Soviet troops still held Vyazma.

Russian warplanes, the news agency said, "concentrated heavy blows on enemy tank columns which managed to break through" in that sector and "struck telling blows at one such column proceeding toward Vyazma."

Russian civilians were now reported fighting shoulder-to-shoulder with Red army soldiers to stem the Nazi smash toward Moscow.

A German pilot said snow was falling behind the front lines, spreading a thin layer over the Russian steppes.

"The German command is throwing into the battle division after division," a Soviet bulletin said.

"Our units are putting up fierce resistance to the Fascist troops and are striking heavy blows at the enemy."

London military quarters described the battle as the fiercest of the war, but said there was every reason to believe that Russian morale had been stiffened by Hitler's tempestuous new assault and that there was no confirmation of any encirclement actually having been carried out.

German reports said the armies of Field Marshal General Fedor von Bock had established a "solid German front" at Vyazma, on a main road 125 miles west of Moscow, after encircling several Russian armies in that sector.

Advanced scouts of Marshal von Bock were presumed to be pushing eastward, the Germans said, but just what progress they were making was not known.

Military authorities in Berlin said the German air force was attacking the Russians retreating to Rostov-on-Don in Southern Russia and were taking a heavy toll of men and material.

The Germans have reported that the Soviet ninth army was trapped along the northern shores of the Sea of Azov.

In London, the British were warned of the dangers to them in the German offensive but there were no indications that the British planned an invasion to help the Russians by a stab in the west.

Fighting in the Far East because more widespread.

Japanese army sources in Shanghai said the greatest offensive of the Chinese army in four and a quarter years of warfare apparently is under way.

The principal Chinese objective was Ichang, a central Yangtze river port. The Japanese acknowledged some Chinese troops took frontal positions briefly but that the Japanese later recaptured them.

The Chinese have announced that five strategic points around Ichang were captured and that the Japanese position there was precarious.

With the Japanese press again showing criticism of the United States for the second straight day, sources in Shanghai forecast an increased German effort to strengthen Nazi influence in the Far East.

They said it was learned that Berlin had appointed Heinrich von Stahmer, one of the best Nazi negotiators, as ambassador to the Japanese-sponsored Nanking regime.

**ASSETS TAXES
UP 50 PER CENT**

GROUP DEMANDS HOUSING POLICY CLARIFICATION

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valid reason for delaying this contract than they have thus far," he commented.

Truman said the committee had no desire to stir up strife between unions or to disturb amicable labor relations, but was interested merely in seeing that the government got its money's worth in defense construction.

Representative Smith, Democrat of Virginia, told the house yesterday that denial of a contract to the Currier company would constitute "the most bold, brazen and outrageous effort to destroy the United States government" that he had ever heard.

"The revisions which I suggest do not call for a declaration of war any more than the lend-lease act called for a declaration of war. This is a matter of essential defense of American rights."

"In the neutrality act are various crippling provisions. The repeal or modification of these provisions will not leave the United States any less neutral than we are today, but will make it possible for us to defend the Americas far more successfully, and to give aid more effectively against the tremendous forces now marching towards conquest of the world."

Smith charged that there was a "conspiracy" between the OPM and A. F. L. to obtain a "monopoly" on defense construction work through the signing of a "stabilization" agreement last July 22.

He suggested that a federal grand jury look into the circumstances surrounding the delay in awarding the Currier contract.

**ASSERTS TAXES
UP 50 PER CENT**

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interim statement purposes, federal income and excess profits tax reserves should be provided to cover the highest probable tax computed on the basis of present or proposed effective rates applied to the estimated earnings for the entire fiscal year."

Russell T. Fisher, president of the national association, said today that the officers' salaries are small. Kauffman has not worked since 1929, but has been in receipt of a salary from one of the best-paying jobs in Essex county and one of the juniors has performed his work or nothing.

"One witness calculated that he had earned more than \$30,000 for which the officers received the pay another \$25,000. The condition resulting from this system is that the officers' salaries are small. Kauffman has not worked since 1929, but has been in receipt of a salary from one of the best-paying jobs in Essex county and one of the juniors has performed his work or nothing."

He told the annual meeting of the association that the consumption of 9,718,000 bales of cotton for the year ended July 31, exceeded the previous record, established in 1936-37, by approximately 1,800,000, although there were 2,500,000 more spindles in place at that time.

He said it could not be estimated definitely how much of the additional consumption could be attributed to the defense program, but, he added, cotton had become an integral part of many products which made up the total.

"While the defense demands have been large," he said, "the mills have taken care of them and also an increased amount of civilian business."

**HELEN MORGAN,
FAMOUS TORCH
SINGER, DIES**

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She later appeared in "George White Scandals," "The Ziegfeld Follies," and "Sweet Adeline."

Her Helen Morgan club, a luxurious down spot near the Broadway theatrical district, was the scene of one of the most exciting raids of the dry era. One night in 1927 agents held 350 guests for questioning three hours and wrecked the club. She was acquitted of a charge of maintaining a nuisance and the agents were ordered to pay for the damage.

On May 15, 1932, she secretly married Maurice (Buddy) Maschke, Jr., Cleveland attorney. She divorced him in 1935.

There are no Aborigines in America, the Chinese fishing port on Hongkong Island.



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FIGHTING WORDS



By V. T. Hamlin

SAYS TIME TO FREE HANDS OF U. S. IS HERE

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bending arms would remain behind their impregnable fortifications and never really fight. In this atmosphere the neutrality act seemed reasonable. But so did the Maginot line.

"Since then—in these past two tragic years—war has spread from continent to continent; very many nations have been conquered and enslaved; great cities have been laid in ruins; millions of human beings have been killed, soldiers and sailors and civilians alike. Never before has such widespread devastation been visited upon God's earth and God's children. The pattern of the future—the future as Hitler seeks to shape it—is now as clear and as ominous as the headlines of today's newspapers."

"Through these years of war, we Americans have never been neutral in thought, we have never been indifferent to the fate of Hitler's victims. And, increasingly, we have become aware of the peril to ourselves, to our democratic traditions and institutions, to our country, and to our hemisphere."

"We know that we could not defend ourselves in Long Island Sound or in San Francisco Bay. That would be too late. It is the American policy to defend ourselves wherever such defense becomes necessary under the complex conditions of modern warfare."

"We have known what victory for the aggressors would mean to us. Therefore, the American people, through the congress, have taken important and costly steps to give aid to those nations actively fighting against Nazi-Fascist domination."

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"Therefore, it has become necessary that this government should not be handicapped in carrying out the clearly announced policy of the congress and of the people. We must face the truth that the neutrality act requires a complete reconsideration in the light of known facts."

"The revisions which I suggest do not call for a declaration of war any more than the lend-lease act called for a declaration of war. This is a matter of essential defense of American rights."

"The neutrality act are various crippling provisions. The repeal or modification of these provisions will not leave the United States any less neutral than we are today, but will make it possible for us to defend the Americas far more successfully, and to give aid more effectively against the tremendous forces now marching towards conquest of the world."

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PECT CREDIT BUYING TO BE LIMITED MORE

**Higher Down Payments
and Shorter Pay-Off Pe-
riods Likely**

ASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—(AP)—Another twist on the screws holding consumer installment credit appears to be imminent today.

Authoritative indications from the central reserve board were that minimum down payments might be increased and maximum time to pay the same might be reduced on some items.

The reserve board was said to be trying this question earnestly and ready for a decision within next 10 days.

The present regulations apply only to installment purchases of 24 types of items, ranging from both new and used automobiles to new furniture and radios. The rules specify what percentage of the purchase price could be paid down—for instance, 3 per cent on automobiles and 10 cent on furniture—and how long one should be allowed to pay the balance—15 months in each case unless present.

The change being studied would bring up what some officials consider loopholes in the down payment rules. At present regulations permit a person to borrow the price of a new car or other article from a bank or finance company and then to escape the down payment restriction by paying that to the dealer or merchant.

The board may require banks and others who make cash loans to get written promises from borrowers that loans will not be used to evade down payment rules. Apparently, the board is not considering any change in that part of its regulations which exempt altogether consumer purchases on open credit or charge accounts.

Proposed changes for stiffening the present limit terms on automobiles, radios and such items was said to come from central officials who doubt whether first regulations, which became effective September 1, have had any effective effect on public buying.

SNOW FALLS IN RUSSIA

WYOMING, Oct. 9.—P.—The German radio said today that snow was falling behind the Russian front, reducing the observation of a German sent to raid a railway line. The snow and a thin layer covered the ground and that the fall was continuous.

Houston, Tex., 2nd largest city in United States, increased its population from 203,500 in 1930 to 300,000 in

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**CHEST WORKERS
TO START MONDAY**

All Community Chest campaign workers are requested to report at the chest's office, Hotel Virginia, Monday, October 13, after 8 a.m., to receive cards. There will not be a meeting held.

Ladies of the P.T.A. are asked to call the chest's office, phone 3270, to give in names of persons who can be depended upon to work on the drive.

It will be the effort of Campaign Director W. W. Kellogg to complete the campaign in three days' time and to do so it is necessary to have the work start off promptly on Monday morning. If any cannot initiate their work before Tuesday, they are asked to so notify the chest's office.

There will be no house-to-house canvassing made and workers will be assigned cards of prospects whom they are to interview.

NORWEGIAN TANKER LOST

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—(P)—The Norwegian tanker John P. Pedersen, 6,125 tons, sailing in British service, has been lost with 13 men of her crew, the German radio reported today in a broadcast heard by NBC.

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GREENIES HEAD WEST FOR GAME WITH RICE OWLS

TULANE ELEVEN 'JUST TRYING TO GET ALONG'

Wave Not Great Team,
Says Dawson; Won't
Predict Win At Rice

ATLANTA, Oct. 9.—(P)—Tulane's not great, but just a football team trying to get along, said Coach Red Dawson today as he and his boys headed Texas-ward for Saturday's game with Rice institute and their third intersectional battle in as many weeks.

"We haven't any high-fallutin' ideas like some people seem to have that we're a great team," declared Dawson. "We're just a football team doing the best we can."

Last year Tulane's up-and-down team took Rice by a score of 15-6, but Dawson wouldn't predict the same success this year for the outfit which beat Boston College 21-7 in its opener, and followed it up with a 33-0 drubbing of Auburn.

"Our scouts report Rice has a great personnel," he explained, "but they haven't been tested and I can't tell much about them until they get up against a tough opponent. The team is much more rugged than Auburn."

At Houston, Coach Jess Neely expressed dissatisfaction over the Owls' first-game showing against Sam Houston State Teachers. Despite a 42-0 victory, he felt they looked ragged, complained: "Our blocking wasn't anywhere near what it should have been. We're going to work our heads off this week. We have to! Tulane looks like one of the best teams in the south and we have plenty to do before Saturday."

Nearly gave his boys rough medicine from the start. In the first scrimmage Monday Barron Elkins, regular wingback, suffered a cut lip and lost a tooth.

Three third-stringers quit the Rice team for jobs with an oil field equipment company. All were sophomores backs. Tulane, on the other hand, expected to go into the game at full strength for the first time this season. In both previous starts Dawson had several key men on the injured list.

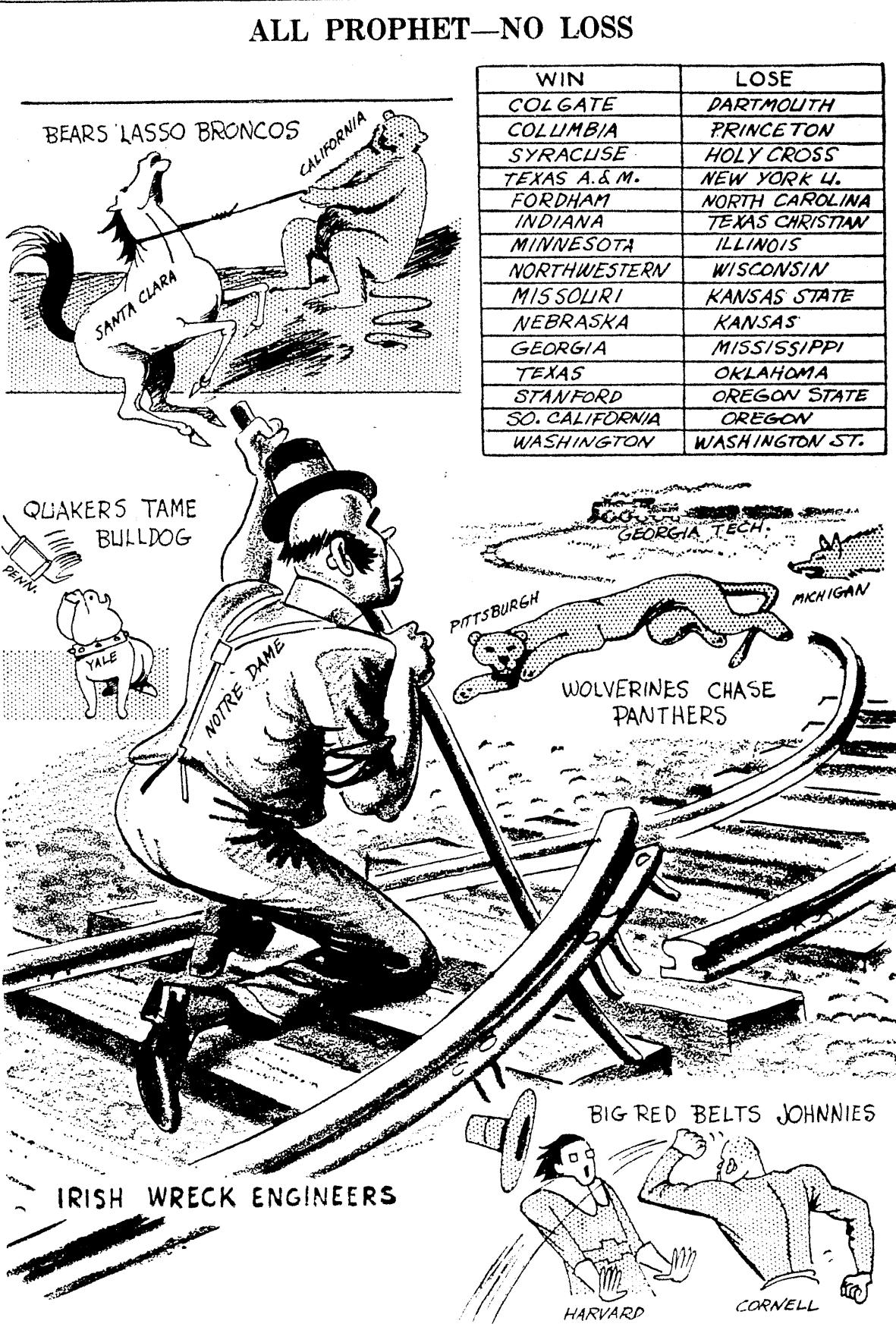
Approximately 25,000 persons are expected to crowd the stands at Rice field at game time Saturday afternoon.

JENKINS TOLD HE'S IN
NO CONDITION TO FIGHT

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—(P)—After having been told by his own physician that he is in no condition to fight, Lightweight Champion (New York variety) Lew Jenkins will appear before the New York state athletic commission Thursday for another going-over. Purpose of the examination will be to discover whether the Sweetwater (Tex.) swatter is in condition to go through with his 15-round tilt with Lightweight Champ (N. B. A. brand) Sammy Angott, booked for Madison Square Garden October 31.

The Norman E. Titus, Jenkins' physician, reported Wednesday night the Texan had a fractured left rib, dislocated neck vertebrae and burstis of the right shoulder—the first a result of his losing bout with Welterweight Champ Red Cochrane at Madison Square Garden Monday night, the other two the outcome of a motorcycle accident several weeks ago.

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IMPORTANT GRID GAMES ARE ON CLASS AA CARD

State's High School Squads Face Serious Business This Week-End

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 9.—(P)—Louisiana's Class AA high school football teams get down to plenty of serious business this week-end, and about the most serious is the business that brings Bogalusa's Lumberjacks against the Baton Rouge Bulldogs and Haynesville's Tornado against the Fair Park Indians.

Bogalusa meets Baton Rouge in the capital city Thursday night and the Haynesville-Fair Park fracas is set for Friday night at Shreveport.

These tilts, along with the Lake Charles-Baton game at Alexandria Friday night, will be the first intra-district affairs of the 1941 season except for New Orleans teams. In other words, the boys will now start leveling for the district championships which admit them to the state playoff.

Bogalusa, which hasn't been scored on while winning all three of its games to date is heavily favored over the Baton Rouge club which has won only one victory while absorbing three defeats. The Lumberjacks will have a tremendous weight advantage amounting to something like 20 pounds per man in the line.

However, the Bulldogs haven't conceded anything. Their defeats have come from the Southeastern Louisiana college freshmen, from McComb, apparently the strongest team in Mississippi, and from Jesuit of New Orleans, defending champions of Louisiana. Bogalusa hasn't met a first-class club.

Also in Oscar Bozeman and Claude Harrison, Baton Rouge boasts a fine pair of backs who will give Bogalusa or anybody else plenty of trouble. Harrison is one of the best line backers in the state.

Fair Park is reported to have the best team in its history, far better than the scoreless wonders who won the north district championship last year although making but one touch-down in their two intradistrict games. The other tilt was a scoreless tie but was won on first downs.

The Indians have beaten Jeshorn Bolton, Texarkana and Natchitoches and only the latter club scored against them. Haynesville has beaten Hope and Magnolia, Ark., and tied Ruston and El Dorado.

Fair Park rules as favorite, but Haynesville was the favorite last year—and the Indians won.

Most of the state's other class AA teams will see action this week-end also.

Shreveport's other big club, the Byrd Yellow Jackets, who used to rule their district but have struck some lean years, entertain Jeff Davis Academy of Houston, runners-up in the Texas 1940 high school race Thursday night. All the Jackets hope is that they can keep the score down.

Friday night's schedule includes Calhoun High of Baton Rouge at Jennings, Lafayette at Houma, Easton of New Orleans at Istrouma of Baton Rouge, and Fortier vs. Peters in New Orleans.

Within the next four Saturdays Northwestern will fire its heaviest guns. Hapes and Hovious, who in 20 games since they began college grid competition have gained a total of 3,412 yards on 333 running plays and completed 96 out of 207 passes, Jackie Flack, 160-pound punter from Memphis, alternates with Hovious and is almost as dangerous.

Georgia's All-America nominee, tail-back Frankie Flack, probably will play only a few minutes against Mississippi. The triple-threat junior suffered a fractured jaw in the South Carolina game, and Butts indicated Tuesday he would be used sparingly if at all. His place will be taken by Captain Heyward Allen, alternate tail-back.

Northwestern's first-year men not only in quantity but quality. Last Saturday's 51 to 3 victory over Kansas State saw 19 sophomores in action.

Their all-around performance—even discounting the calibre of the opposition—indicated that only through game-by-game peak jobs will veterans hold their posts.

No. 1 Northwestern sophomore is Otto Graham, from nearby Waukegan, Ill. A 180-pound youngster, he is one of the finest backs to arrive at Northwestern in several seasons. He can run, pass and punt. In his 90-yard touchdown return of a punt last Saturday he demonstrated the poise of a third-year star, picking his spots and making his moves so perfectly he took advantage of some half-dozen blocks. He looks good enough to force Bill DeCorrevont to stardom—or the bench.

Don Buffmire, Bud Kean, Casey Peifer and Ed Hirsch all looked fine as first-year backs, while notable sophomore linemen were Bob Carlson, Bill Ohland, Bob Wallis, Tony Samaria and Bill Deoducic. Carlson, a tackle, is built along the lines of the Veteran Alf Bauman and like that veteran Wildcat star, likes the action at its roughest.

Northwestern should win over Wisconsin next Saturday but the three games to follow would add gray hairs to any mentor's head. For Michigan, Ohio State and Minnesota are the big guns on the conference line. Should Northwestern weather their fire the Wildcats still would get little rest against Indiana, powerful Notre Dame, and tricky Illinois.

The Pels are badly crippled for this week's engagement with four starting players nursing injuries from their hard-fought battle with Winnsboro last week, Coach Kermit Youngblood said.

Ridgeway, end; Loppicola, guard, Basco and Mistretta, halfbacks, are nursing everything from charley horses to sprained ankles. Loppicola and Basco may not see service against Dubach, if their ankle and elbow, respectively, do not respond to treatment.

In spite of being shorthanded due to injuries, Coach Youngblood has put his boys through stiff scrimmages every day this week in an effort to make his inexperienced line charge harder on offense and defense.

The Pelicans will go through light signal drills today in winding up practice for the Dubach game.

Today a year ago: Harry Hopman, Australia, eliminated Don Budge, 6-2, 5-7, 6-1, in quarter finals of Pacific coast tennis tournament.

Five years ago: Joe Louis knocked out Jorge Brescia of Argentina in third round of 10-round match at New York Hippodrome.

A post service by couriers on horseback all along the present Boston Post road route was the beginning of overland mail service in this country.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—(P)—Here are some guys who ought to sympathize with Mickey Owen and the Dodgers.

... Forrest Main, a pitcher for Idaho Falls in the Pioneer League, had a no-hitter against Boise with two out in the ninth when Jack Radke bounded an easy one and Shelly McConnell, the second sacker, fell down trying to make the throw. . . . The scorer finally had to call it a hit. . . . Up in Minnesota the Delano and Northwood teams were rained out in an amateur league playoff game. They heard there was a dry field ten miles away so players, crowd and all drove over.

The field was almost flooded but the fans pitched in and helped drain it then just after the game started a cloudburst came along. . . . West coast reporters here for the series spent a lot of time quizzing the Southern about Duke after the Blue Devils knocked off Tennessee. They'd like to see Wallace Wade's boys in the Rose Bowl again if all goes well. . . . Wonder if those cops who pinched Gerry Priddy and Johnny Sturm in Jersey were trying to square up for the bluecats who got in Mickey Owen's way on that play?

TODAY'S GUEST STAR

Carter (Scoop) Latimer, Greenville, S.C. News: "Mickey's miff of that third-out strike saved the American people at least a million bucks that would have been spent on tickets, drugs, etc., for the sixth game at the stadium."

JACOBS BEACHCOMBINGS

Local papers are blasting the New York Boxing Commission for suspending Ray Carlen and Willie Gibensberg for letting their fighters coast.

They want to know if it's good strategy to say "go in there and get your block knocked off."

Dick Gould is offering Red Cochrane \$15,000 to fight young Kid McCoy for the welter title either here or in Detroit. . . . Frankie Frisch is all worked up about Vincent Smith, the Pirates' rookie catcher.

Howard Pollet is going to get a new manager. Hell-mary Virginia Clark in New Orleans October 15. . . . Johnny Colan, the middleweight sweater, will jump in with the heavyweights against Buddy Knox at Chicago. . . . Dick Bartell tells Detroit friends he's had three offers to manage clubs.

Cliff Harris of the Sioux City Ha-Ji-Clo-Ji writes: "The people out here would look upon a Dodge fan with awe. Could you loan us a couple to use as a sideshow during our circus next summer?" . . . We can think of a lot who would like to get out of town right now, but next summer they'll be in Elkharts field, as usual.

A VS MOVE

The football rule-makers have forgotten Ossie Soleim's "Y" formation in which the center faces the back-field. Maybe they thought Ossie had the guy sitting on the ball to batch out some trick plays.

Dutch Bergman, former Catholic University coach who was supposed to be getting ready to buck the Redskins in Washington next year, has taken a job officiating National League games.

Players who have run into Temple say that Al Drulis, the blocking back, is a better ball player than the highly-rated Andy Tomasic.

Amy scouts report that Earl Black has some nice big men coming up now that the physical restrictions have been loosened. . . . Tennessee must have some right good freshmen, too.

Before the Duke game Billie Gold Vol back, claimed he'd rather play Duke than the frosh. . . . When Major Swede Larson, the navy coach, found his players too much on edge just before they opened the season against William and Mary, he bought the loudest plaid vest he could find and wore it into the dressing room.

Just before the game, Swede said: "Now boys, let's take our coats off and get down to business," and unveiled the sartorial masterpiece. The boys laughed so hard they forgot about being nervous.

GRIDIRON RULES GET APPROVAL

Opposition To New Regulations Dies To Whisper, Dana Bible Says

AUSTIN, Tex., Oct. 9.—(P)—Opposition to the new football rules has died to a whisper now that coaches have seen them work. D. X. Bible, member of the national rules committee, said Wednesday.

The University of Texas coach declared that, contrary to previous opinion, the rule allowing substitutions any time the ball is dead had speeded up the game.

"Take our game with Louisiana State Saturday," he illustrated. "We get it over in two hours and one minute. With Colorado the week before we ran it off in two hours and twenty minutes."

Bible also said the Texas-Louisiana game demonstrated the worth of the rule allowing three footballs when the field is muddy.

"We had a comparatively clean, dry ball throughout the game," he declared. "It takes no longer for a student manager to bring in a clean ball than it does a referee to wipe off one with a soggy towel."

The Texas mentor said football had opened up more. "It no longer is impractical to pass incomplete into the end zone on fourth down," he pointed out. Formally such a pass resulted in a touchback.

Now that a team can afford to

gamble the play is resulting in more scoring thrills, he declared on basis of reports throughout country.

There may be fewer field goals but more field goals are to bring more tries for a distance. Beliefs. This is the rule which kills a punt inside the 10-yard line and makes it a 10-yard line.

"The receiving team must be given the chance to run back the ball behind the 10-yard line," Bible said.

"That opens the gate for more placement kicks instead of punts when teams are inside the 40. Such a rule could produce three points and be covered by the same rule as a pass except the kicking team can't touch the ball anywhere on the field."

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"HOLD BACK THE DAWN"

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MRS. R. H. B. GIBSON, 401 Hudson

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SISTER BENOVETTE, N. M.

"It was a wonderful picture—very interesting."

WAGGONS AND FARMERS SET FOR CONTEST

REBELS END HARD WORK FOR GRID BATTLE HERE Friday Night

Neville High school's Tigers and the Farmers of Farmerville High school ended their heavy work for today's football battle at Neville.

Following yesterday's rough session, Coach L. Percy Brown of Neville announced that the squad is in good shape for what is expected to be a tough gridiron tussle. Coach Brown said only a light workout will be held today.

"Our team will be in good shape for the game," Coach Brown said, "we'll have to be at top speed to expect to beat the Farmers. Recent reports indicate Farmerville has a fine quad which has plenty of muscle."

The Farmerville squad also was in a heavy workout yesterday and will take it rather easy in warming off for the game, according to the Union parish seat.

Farmerville looked exceptionally fine in piling up a 38-0 triumph over each, always a grid power in north-Louisiana. Every member of the squad saw action in the Dubach tilt. The Farmers feel this is the only they have not been underdogged in game with Neville. They haven't gotten the hard fought 19-13 loss to much heavier Monroe team last night.

This year's Farmerville eleven is somewhat lighter than last year's team, but the Farmers will not be weighed as much as they were last year.

None of the Farmer backs who played in 1940 will be in the opening tilt next Friday night. They are Alton, Roan and Math Taylor. E. J. Abritton rounds out the backfield and the Farmers aren't contenting the Tigers a thing as far as personnel is concerned.

The line will include four of the starters of last year: Ben Davis, Green, Fuyuu, Taylor and Travis. The latter having won a berth in the all-district second team last year.

The starting Farmerville lineup is expected to include Tucker, 120, left end; Davis, 150, left tackle; Green, 155, guard; Elliott, 150, center; Kenney, 138, right guard; F. Taylor, 148, right tackle; J. Abritton, 145, on Paton, 137, right end; E. J. Abritton, quarterback; Roan, 155, left halfback; M. Taylor, 140, right halfback; Buck Abritton, 140, fullback.

Both squads members ready to step off will be Long, Savage, Wainwright, Rhodes, John Roan, Muller, Lee, Washington, Peale and others.

Rebels will leave by train Thursday morning for Atlanta by way of Birmingham, and will work out at Ponce De Leon stadium Thursday night.

MANDRAKE THE MAGICIAN



FREE-FOR-ALL FIGHT THREATENED IN SERIES FINAL



A free-for-all fight between the New York Yankees and the Brooklyn Dodgers was narrowly averted by the quick interference of umpires in the fifth inning of the final game of the world series at Ebbets field. Joe DiMaggio, Yankee slugger, and Whit Wyatt, Dodger pitcher, exchanged hot words and ran toward each other near the mound. That was the signal for angry players to surge forth from the rival dugouts. They clashed in a seething mass, as shown here, at the pitcher's box, but the umpires got between them and kept DiMaggio and Wyatt apart. DiMaggio stands second from the left. Wyatt (15) is second from the right. Between them is Umpire Grieve. No. 10 is Dodger Catcher Mickey Owen. No. 4 is Camilli, Dodger first baseman, and No. 2 is Dodger Manager Leo Durocher. The Yankees won the game 3 to 1 and captured the series.

lars and moving two sophomores to the first string.

Senior Tackle Len Simonetti was relegated to the reserves in favor of John Francis, sophomore, and the Veteran Mike Ballito was displayed at end by Dick McIlroy, a senior. Walt Stalter, sophomore fullback, continued to run the team as Johnny Butler nursed an injured upper rib and Bobby Cifers was bothered with an ailing ankle.

ALABAMA
TUSCALOOSA, Ala., Oct. 9.—(AP)—Nearly a fourth of Alabama's varsity football squad was on the sidelines with injuries Wednesday as the jinx which has pursued the team since pre-season practice began continued to lay on with a heavy hand.

Coach Frank Thomas announced that fullbacks Paul Spencer and Herman Beard, Quarterback Bart Avery and Tackle Jack Aland probably would not see action at all against Howard College Saturday and listed Ends Babs Roberts and Wheeler Leeth, Guard John Wyhonic, Tackle Noah Langdale and Centers Joe Donnanovich and Norman Wesley on the doubtful list.

VANDERBILT
NASHVILLE, Tenn., Oct. 9.—(AP)—Coach Red Sanders Wednesday night indicated that three new Vanderbilt starters may face the Kentucky Wildcats Saturday at Lexington.

They are Fluckner, Sonny Beard of the doubtful list.

TENNESSEE
KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Oct. 9.—(AP)—Heeding scouts' reports that the Dayton Flyers, Tennessee's opponent Saturday, are coming here determined to win with a team heralded as the best in the Ohio school's history, Coach John Barnhill shook up his Duke-chastened Vols, demoting two regu-

TULANE
NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 9.—(AP)—Tulane polished up its offense and defense Wednesday in preparation for today's game with untested Rice.

Observers expected the Greenies to put a powerful and varied game against the Owls. All injured players have come around and the Greenies will be at full strength for Saturday.

LOUISIANA STATE
BATON ROUGE, La., Oct. 9.—(AP)—Louisiana State may revert to the two-man system of offense when it meets Mississippi State, which uses the two-man system too, in their football game here Saturday night.

Coach Bernie Moore discarded the

CHICAGO VET GETS RELEASE

Charlie Root Indicates He Will Take Job With Los Angeles Club

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—(AP)—Charlie Root, for 16 years a Chicago Cubs pitcher, was given his unconditional release by the Cuhs Wednesday.

The 42-year-old Root, winner of 201 major league victories through the 16 year span, was notified of his release by the Cubs general manager, Jim Gallagher, who said Root had been offered a coaching job with Los Angeles of the Pacific Coast league.

The hurler, accompanied by Mrs. Charley Root, left immediately by motor for his ranch at Hollister, Calif., stating he would confer soon with Dave Fleming, Los Angeles club president. He indicated he would accept the post.

Root declined to leave the Cuhs a week ago when offered a chance to negotiate for a job with another major league team. He was in uniform Tuesday night as the Cuhs lost the fall city series title to the Chicago White Sox.

Root came from the Los Angeles team to the Cuhs in 1926, winning 18 games in his first season. In 1927 he had his best year, winning 26 games. In 1929, as the Cuhs took the National League pennant, he won 19 and lost only six games. He also played important parts in Cuhs drives to pennants in 1932, 1935 and 1938 but in the four World Series he lost three games and won none. His departure marks another step in the Cuhs program of rebuilding with young players.

This past season he lost seven games, but the eight he won boosted his winning total to 201, one above the goal he had set for himself.

Fleas have an average life of only six months, so a flea circus must have a new troupe twice a year.

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By Lee Falk and Phil Davis

AUBURN NEXT BULLDOG FOE

Aillet Drills Techmen Hard In Preparation For Tilt Saturday

RUSTON, La., Oct. 9.—(Special)—Louisiana Tech's coaches this week have been turning on the heat in an effort to get the Bulldog gridmen ready for their current big-time opponents, the Alabama Polytechnic institute Plainsmen, whom the Techsters will engage at Auburn Saturday afternoon. This is believed to be the first time teams of those two institutions have met in football.

The Techmen Tuesday afternoon went through a hard defensive scrimmage against the Tech freshmen, who presented a version of Auburn's "T" formation. After another brisk work-out Wednesday afternoon, Head Coach Joe Aillet planned lighter dummy drills for Thursday.

Thirty-three players are listed to make the trip to Auburn, Coach Aillet said. They will leave Ruston by train at 6:50 p.m. Thursday, with a workout being planned for Friday at Opelika, Ala., seven miles from Auburn.

Among those going to Auburn will be three freshman grididers—one more than the number Coach Aillet has used with his varsity in previous games this season. The extra yearling is Charlie Newman of Ponchatoula, who is being worked at left end. The other two are Joe Crump, fullback, and Raymond Peace, halfback, both of Haynesville.

More than 115,000 miles of underground pipe lines carry crude oil and gasoline across the United States.

Johnny Perritt of Tyler, Tex., has been moved up to the starting left

halfback post in place of James Timley, Coach Aillet said.

Walter Ford of Lafayette, Ind., is showing definite improvement and will be pushing Robert May for the starting quarterback job, the coach indicated.

To fortify the left end position, Robert Rife of Ferriday has been switched from the right wing spot to the left. John H. Laughlin of Bloomfield, Ind., is slated to start at left end, however, with Leonard Olsen of New Orleans likely to get the nod for the other end of the line.

Fumbles in the rain, together with penalties, cost the Techmen a 19-7 loss to Mississippi Southern at Ruston last Friday night.

"The team as a whole functioned pretty well," Coach Aillet remarked, "but the backs gambled too much with the wet ball."

SONG WRITER GUS KAHN DIES OF HEART ATTACK

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif., Oct. 9.—(P)—Gus Kahn, 54, one of America's best known song writers, died of a heart attack today.

With Walter Donaldson, Kahn turned out some of Tin Pan Alley's best known popular compositions before he came to Hollywood eight years ago to compose for the movies.

The Kahn-Donaldson duo contributed such hits as "Mammy," which Al Jolson introduced; "My Buddy," which was Kahn's favorite; "Memories," "Pretty Baby," "No, No, Nona," "Carrioca," "Beside A Babbling Brook," "Flying Down To Rio," "I Never Knew," "Love Me Or Leave Me," "Yes, Sir, That's My Baby," "I'm Through With Love," "My Blue Heaven," and "It Had To Be You."

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KNOX ASSERTS MISHAPS SLOW DEFENSE WORK

Says 30,000 Bombers
Could Have Been Built
With Lost Manpower

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—(AP)—In the time lost in accidents to American workers last year, Secretary Knox reports, industry could have produced a fleet of heavy bombing airplanes 21 times the size of that Britain is using in its war on Germany.

The navy secretary, addressing the 30th annual National Safety congress and exposition last night, pleaded for renewed efforts to reduce accidents among defense workers because the United States is "the final and most important item on the Nazi agenda of unfinished business."

The billion and a half manhours lost last year through work accidents, he said, were sufficient to build 45 battleships, 375 destroyers, 450 submarines, 195,000 light tanks, 12,500 trainer planes, 75,000 fighter planes, 30,000 medium bombers, or 15,000 heavy bombers.

"And to illustrate how large a number that is," Knox continued, "Britain is carrying on its aerial war on Germany with 700 heavy bombers."

In normal times, he said, loss of time through accidents caused no irreparable damage to the nation's security, "but not now." He added:

"Not today with Hitler's robot factories blasting at the gates of Leningrad and Odessa, with his Stuka bombers eager to return to winter night attacks on British industrial centers, with the actual invasion of the Near East and the British Isles not a possibility but a certainty

moment the Nazi iron octopus can ready itself for the assault * * *."

Discussing time lost in strikes, Knox said he did not countenance defense strikes and "any attempt, either by labor or capital to gain unreasonable profit at the expense of the nation's security has my bitterest condemnation."

He said he hoped it would be unnecessary to restrict activities of "any group or groups" during the emergency but that if it should become necessary he hoped and believed the restrictions would be put into effect without delay, would have "plenty of teeth" and be enforced rigidly.

The secretary's address was broadcast over the NBC blue network.

Dentistry and watchmaking are frequently practised jointly in China, often in the same small room.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- 1. Contends with successfully
- 2. Abbot
- 3. Rockies
- 4. Glide over ice
- 5. Gazet
- 6. man's name
- 7. General fight
- 10. One devoted to eating
- 11. Repay
- 15. Pertaining to one's birth
- 16. Musical compositions
- 17. Near
- 18. Lukewarm
- 19. Pretender to nobility
- 20. Inherent
- 21. archaic
- 22. Quantity of medicine
- 23. Jealousy
- 24. Term of address
- 25. Skill
- 26. Ancient Greek address
- 27. Skillful
- 28. Pertaining to milestones
- 29. Broad street:
- 30. Pupil in the Rockies
- 31. Glide over ice
- 32. Gazet
- 33. man's name
- 34. General fight
- 35. Vegetables
- 36. Repay
- 37. Thrusts
- 38. Hames
- 39. Unto
- 40. Tabu
- 41. Anile
- 42. Similar
- 43. Benedict
- 44. Tame
- 45. Abet
- 46. Colleton
- 47. Sods
- 48. Ewe
- 49. Dent
- 50. Money
- 51. Milk spring
- 52. Sailor
- 53. Vulgar
- 54. Pretender to nobility
- 55. Symbol for
- 56. Emerald-green
- 57. Copper
- 58. Narrator
- 59. The pick
- 60. Northern state: abbr.

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SODS EWE DENT

Solution Of Yesterday's Puzzle

DOWN

1. British commoner

2. Eloquent speaker

3. Favorite

4. Set out

5. Auction

6. Moreover

7. Footless

8. Alcoholic liquor

9. Mark of a wound

10. Emit rays

11. American Indians

12. Heads

13. Refreshed by repose

14. Thoroughfare

15. Prophet

16. Malicious burning of property

17. Bookbinders' presses

18. Annexed

19. Open space

20. Openings in a gas stove

21. Secure

22. Indigo plant

23. Indigo plant

24. City in Iowa

25. Inhabitant of suffix

26. River: Spanish

Pause... Refresh



MOPSY

By Gladys Parker



OUT OUR WAY

—By Williams



REGISTRATION AT L. S. U. SHOWS SLIGHT DECREASE

BATON ROUGE, La., Oct. 9.—(P)—Louisiana State university announced today its total registration had reached 6,700 students, of whom 5,402 were on the main campus here.

The figure represents approximately a 10 per cent decrease from last year's total, said Mrs. W. H. Gates, registrar, explaining the decrease had been expected because of selective service and defense industry expansion.

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE

COME OUT AND REST NOW, PUNJAB—I'LL TAKE MY TURN IN THERE—IT CAN BE MUCH FARTHER—

WITH THIS WEAKNESS OF THIRST AND HUNGER EACH SMALL STONE IS AS A GREAT BOULDER—

MORE WIRES FROM THAT YOUNG PUNK SLAGG AT THE PLANT SCREAMING FOR ORE! WELL WIRE HIM AND TELL HIM FROM NOW ON HELL GET HIS ORE—

O.K., BOSS! YOU BET—

NOW I RECALL-- WARBUCKS--THAT INDIAN RUNNER-- THEM COYOTES SHOOTIN' FROM AMBUSHES PURIN' NEAR GOT AWAY WITH IT--

YOU AVENGED OUR BROTHER-- SO YOU DID NOT DIE-- SOON AGAIN YOU WILL BE STRONG--

YEP-- YOU BOYS SURE SAVED MY BACON-- I'M OBLEEGED, CHIEF! BUT HOW LONG HAVE I BEEN HERE? QUICK, I GOT THINGS TO DO!

NOT YET. MY FRIEND YOUR BODY STILL IS WEAK--BUT SPEAK AND WE SHALL DO--

THERE, THERE, AND THERE

By Harold Gray

THE GUMPS



CUPID VS. CUPIDITY

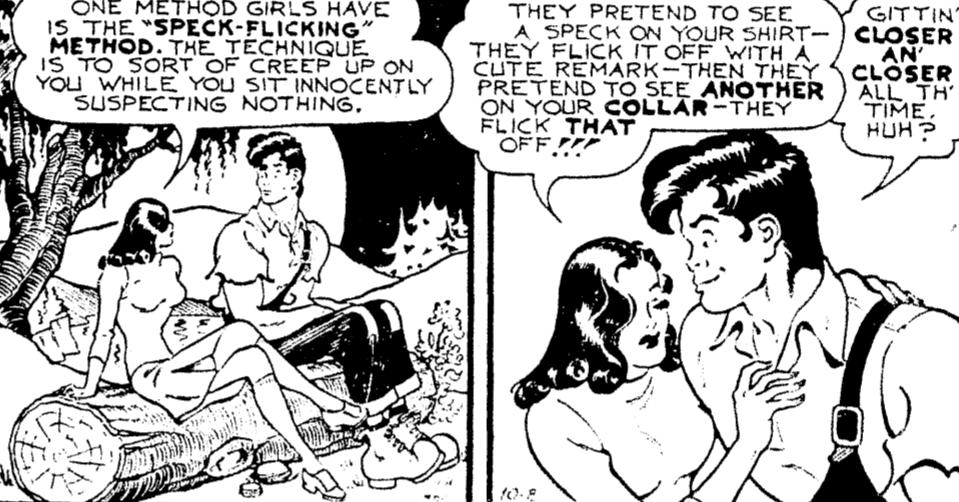
By Gus Edson



L'L ABNER

HE'S LEARNING THE HARD WAY!!

By Al Capp



RED RYDER

HURRY UP, LITTLE BEAVER

By Fred Harman



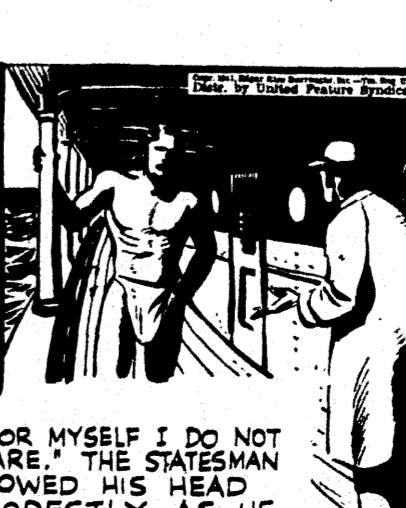
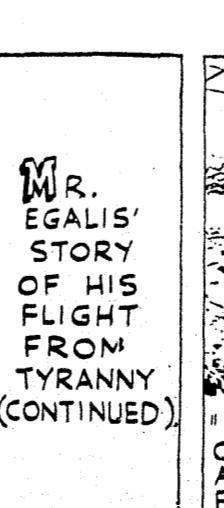
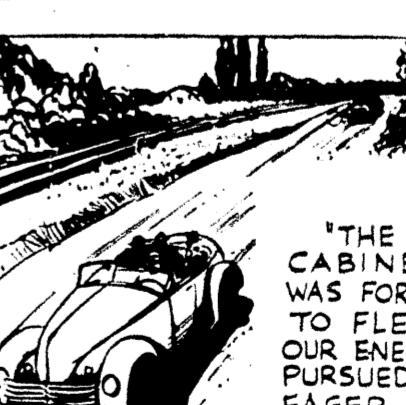
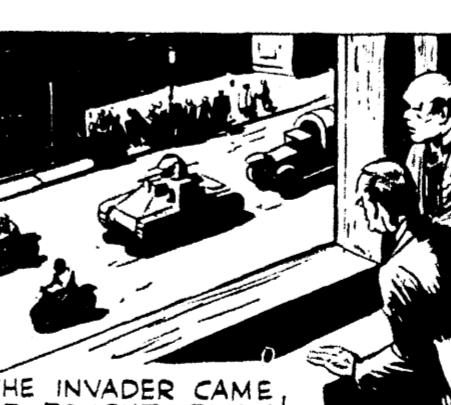
THE REAL THING



TARZAN

FLIGHT FROM THE TYRANT

By Edgar Rice Burroughs



MARKETS

COTTON

New Orleans

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 9.—(P)—Second day selling on the government's spot estimate, hedging and unfavorable war news caused declines in cotton futures here today. The market closed steady 6 to 7 points net lower. Open High Low Close
... 16.60 16.60 16.56 ...
... 16.82 16.90 16.56 17.59 off 7
... 16.88 ... 16.86 ...
... 17.10 17.24 16.89 17.06-07 off 7
... 17.50 17.40 17.03 17.23 off 26
... 17.41 17.46 17.19 17.27
... 17.66 off 7 ... 17.62 ...
—Bid.

SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 9.—(P)—Spot cotton closed steady 8 points lower. 4.95¢. Low middling 14.94, middling 16.34, good middling 16.84. Receipts 8.925, stock 499,785.

New York

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—(P)—Disturbed by the Russian war news and Japanese press dispatches, cotton futures in sympathy with stocks and other commodities and broke sharply, declining more than \$1.00 a bale today. Commission houses and New Orleans led the selling and southern offices also came into the market on decline.

Trade and mill interests were indifferent buyers on the scale down. In late afternoon the list was off 27 points. October selling at 16.45, ec. 16.62 and July 17.11.

As heavy selling subsided in the last minutes of trading and shorts covered, the market rallied and regained most of the day's losses.

Futures closed 4-10 lower. Open High Low Last
... 16.62 16.60 16.45 16.57 off 9
... 16.79 16.90 16.57 16.78 off 4
... 16.80 16.87 16.65 16.84 off 6
... 17.04 17.17 16.85 17.03 off 3
... 17.25 17.33 16.99 17.20 off 26
... 17.35 17.48 17.19 17.28 off 10
Middling spot 17.31N, off 9.
—Nominal.

Petroleum Oil

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 9.—Cot-
ton oil closed steady. Bleachable
kerosene yellow 13.55¢, prime
12.12-1.2, Oct. 13.11¢, Dec. 13.03,
13.04¢, March 13.68¢, May 13.11¢,
—Bid; no—Nominal.

Livestock

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—(P)—(USDA)—
Live hogs 8,000, total 12,500, top 11.15;
bulk 200-70 lbs. 10.90-11.00, most 18¢;
hogs 160-80 lbs. underweight 10.50;
good 200-60 lbs. overgenerally 9.75;
35¢, with 400-500 lbs. kinds 9.65-10.
Saleable cattle 4,000 calves 600 most
eighty bullocks 11.00-11.50, only choice
medium weights making 12.00 or better;
best yearlings 12.40; small pack-
age 12.50; steer yearlings 12.35;
eighty sausages hams 12.40; choice
steers to 13.50; stock cattle trade
towed down by rainy weather.
Saleable sheep 1,600, total 5,000, late
Wednesday; lambs 10-15 higher, other
classes steady.

Potatoes

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—(P)—(USDA)—
Potatoes arrivals 110, on track 375,
total United States shipments 334, sup-
plies moderate, demand slow, market
about steady. Idaho Russet Burbanks
United States No. 1, 1.80-30, Nebraska
Bush Triumphant United States No. 1,
1.95-25, Colorado Red McHenry United
States No. 1, 1.70; Minnesota and North
Dakota Bush Triumphant United States
No. 1, 1.90-40; cobblers United States
No. 1, 9.0-1.10, early Ohio Chipped
Potatoes No. 1, 1.15; Wisconsin Chipped
and Cobblers United States No. 1.25.

Sugar

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—(P)—World
sugar futures were depressed by liqui-
cation, reflecting nervousness over the
news today. Late values were
down 3 to 7 points. Dec. 24, March
40.

Domestic futures moved less broad-
ly and were unchanged to 2 lower.
Jan. 23, March 28.

Raw and refined sugars remained
unchanged.

Butter And Eggs

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—(P)—Butter, re-
ceipts 1,081,616; easy, creamy, 91
lb. 34-12; other prices unchanged.
Eggs, 5,647; firm, fresh grad-
ed, extra firsts, cans 32-12; other
prices unchanged.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Sykes, 114 Mc-
Gurie avenue, announced the birth of
their daughter, Thursday at Riverside
Memorial.

CLARKS, Oct. 9.—(Special)—Mr
and Mrs. Norman Simpson, Saenger,
announce the arrival of their first
child, Norma Grace, September 30.

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Natchez 48 8.0 0.0
Baton Rouge 35 5.5 0.4 Fall
OUACHITA—
Camden 26 8.3 1.9 Rise
Monroe 40
OHIO—
Pittsburgh 25 16.6 0.0
Cincinnati 32 12.7 0.1 Fall
Iairo 40 24.3 2.4 Rise
TENNESSEE—
Chattanooga 30 8.2 0.1 Fall
CUMBERLAND—
Nashville 40 9.8 1.0 Rise
ARKANSAS—
Fort Smith 22 22.6 3.8 Fall
Little Rock 23 18.0 0.1 Fall
RED—
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Wednesday, November 12, 1941 for the
erection and completion of an Agricultural
Office Building to be located in
West Monroe, Louisiana in accordance
with plans and specifications prepared
by H. H. Land, Architect of Monroe,
Louisiana.

All bids shall be addressed to the Outstanding
Building Association, which is accompanied by a certified check or
bidders bid in an amount equal to
ten per cent (10%) of the bid and shall
be submitted to the Secretary of the
Outstanding Building Association, 100
Main Street, Monroe, Louisiana. The envelope shall be properly identified
as a bid for said building.

Only contractors that are licensed in
the State of Louisiana or the Outstanding
Building Association, Inc., P.O. Box 674,
1941, which provides for the licensing of
contractors, shall be qualified to obtain plans or
submit a bid.

Plans and specifications may be obtained
by qualified contractors on application
to H. H. Land, Architect of Monroe,
Louisiana.

The Outstanding reserves the right to
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By TOM W. HICKS, Pres. Pro Tem
Monroe, La.
Oct. 9, 18, 21, 1941.

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Schools In Council To Strive For More Members Than Ever Before

Mrs. W. E. McCoy, membership chairman of the Twin Cities P.-T. A. council, announces that an intensive P.-T. A. membership drive will be conducted by the schools of the Twin Cities from October 13 to October 20. Membership chairmen of the various schools are as follows: Barkdull Faulk, Mrs. J. M. Clauson; Central Grammar, Mrs. B. G. Cole; Crosley, Mrs. Wayne McDonald; Georgia Tucker, Mrs. J. T. Eubanks; Lida Benton, Mrs. Wylie Mosley; Millsteps, Mrs. J. Bagwell; Mitchell, Mrs. B. O. Taylor; Neville, Mrs. T. H. Butler; Ouachita parish, Mrs. John Young; St. Matthew's, Mrs. Leo Ritter; Ransom, Mrs. Myrick; Sherrouse, Mrs. W. A. Cotton.

A beautiful cup will be awarded to the school making the greatest personal gain in membership over the previous year. This cup is already placed on display.

Posters announcing the drive will be on display during national P.-T. A. week, while the drive is being conducted. P.-T. A. car stickers have been distributed to the membership chairmen of each school and will be given to each person who joins the P.-T. A.

ALUMNI SOCIETY MEETS

FERRIDAY, La., Oct. 9.—(Special)—The Vidalia Catholic church Altar and Sanctuary society of Our Lady of Lourdes church met on Tuesday, and the Willing Workers met Thursday.

WAKE UP YOUR LIVER BILE—

Without Colomel—And You'll Jump Out of Bed in the Morning Rarin' to Go

The liver should pour 2 pints of bile juice into the bowels every day. If this bile is not flowing freely, your food may not digest. It must just decay in the bowels. Then you feel sick, and the world looks pink.

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Here's A Fellow Who Leads With His Left



Merle Evans, bandmaster of the Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey circus.

Yes, the champion leads with his left.

And he leads the finest musical organization of its kind in the world. Merle Evans, maestro of the Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey circus band, directs his men with his left hand because his right is busy with one of the best played cornets to be heard this side of Gabriel's own brass section.

While the spotlight that shimmers on the 800 performing stars of the big show seldom shines on the musicians, the music of the circus is the medium through which it becomes articulate and the band is the bright, spangled frame upon which the exciting pattern of the performance is stretched.

Evans recruits his men from the best of musical organizations and schools, but holding down a chair in the band of the Greatest Show on Earth, coming to Monroe Wednesday, October 15, is one of the most difficult assignments in music.

Two three-hour stretches of steady playing, preceded by 30-minute concerts every day, make the fabulous labors of Paul Bunyan and of John Henry seem mere child's play by comparison. Circus musicians not only have to be well-grounded in music; they face a tough physical grind. The hardest item on the big-top musician's slate is the gallop, played one to the bar where two are written. Gallops are rendered at a breath-taking tempo add that special zest and flavor to the circus music menu.

Merle Evans' band runs the musical gamut from classical numbers to popular tunes and plays upwards of 175 cues at every performance of the great new Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey circus of 1941. The huge amusement institution, this season radically restyled by the world-celebrated Norman Bel Geddes, presents a multitude of refreshingly new and sensational innovations on its gigantic program.

The performances, featuring the surpassingly magnificent fairyland fantasy, "Old King Cole and Mother Goose," will begin at 2:15 and 8:15 p.m. in the world's largest tent, which is now brilliant blue with red side walls and comfortably air-conditioned.

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